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## BUT NO TANKS,

# Weygand Line To Adolf's Worst Efforts

# SURE NAZIS MAKES IGNORANT OF LOSSES

PARIS. June 5 (Reuter)—Germany has lost no time in beginning another offensive, and today's French communique states that all information received from the front since early today shows that a new battle has begun. Violent enemy efforts up to the present are being directed between the sea and the Laon-Soissons Road.

A message from Berlin states that the new German offensive was announced by Hitler in a proclamation. It says that this morning German divisions and air squadrons again set out to resume the battle for the freedom of Germany.

It is significant that Hitler did not mention his losses in the previous battle as Mr. Winston Churchill, Great Britain's Prime Minister did, but merely ordered all flags to be flown throughout Germany for the next week and the ringing of bells for three days in celebration of the "victory of the German soldiers in the greatest battle of all

#### THEY HAVE NO MORE TANKS?

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter) - Reuter's Military Correspondent states the German offensive has been renewed with an intensity which proves they have no time to lose. The German Army has chosen a part that is the shortest path to Paris if the attack suc-

The French, 200 miles from the sea to the Maginot Line, are aldedy by the firm and there has 12 mile interval between the Somme and the Oise, and it is here that the new offensive is developing.

The country is flat and dry | General Weygand's line, reports owing to drought. It is, therefore, from reliable French sources state, suitable for tanks. The problem has been designed primarily to

of "this new offensive new armoured divisions would be necessary. The tanks used in the northern battle have travelled a great distance and even those which escaped encounters must be in need of overhaul after the excessive

wear and tear.

now is how many more tanks has meet the possibility of an attack the enemy got which are fit to use? by tanks and dive bombers com-

> General Weygand called for new communications to be maintained men and new methods. France has now got both and one advantage of the extensive fighting in the north has been to give the former time to put the latter into all arms, is regarded in the same practice.

> > DIVE BOMBERS

Up to the present, reports from the

was the classic style of attack as

in 1918. The only new feature

Military circles consider, how-

# VIOLENT ARTILLERY ATTACK

PARIS, June 5 (Reuter)-The Germans launched an attack, early at dawn, over a front of more than 120 miles, said a French military spokesman.

Main directions taken by the strongest part of the German thrust were on the middle of the Somme, that is, in the region of Amiens, where the Germans had retained the bridgehead on the south bank—and east of the Oise—that is on the Allette Canal. below the famous Chemis des Dames.

At four o'clock this morning formed by the towns of La Fere. they opened very violent artillery Laon, and Anizyle Chateau in fire, while dive bombers, in great Chauny. 'numbers, began' to attack the French "lines. Immediately after masses of infantry began to move forward. It is noteworthy that up battle zone show the German attacks, above all, have been carried to ten o'clock this morning tanks had not been reported in action out by infantry supported by artillery. This, said the spokesman.

#### from any sector of the front. BATTLE PROGRESSING

A battle is going on and no de- was the use of dive bombers. tails are available hitherto.

The spokesman said the German ever, that massive armoured atattack extended southwards as far tacks will likely follow. It has as the point where the Oise-Aisne also been noted so far that canal enters the "Aisne. The German air force has not carried second of the two regions, where out intensive bombardments. German pressure is being more back areas as has always been the particularly exerted (the first be- case hitherto at the beginning of ing in the Amiens region), lay im- the offensives both in Poland and mediately to the east of the Oise. Norway, and also on the Western that is to say, in a quadrilateral Front.

GREEK STEAMER

MADRID. June 5 (Reuter)-At:

other victim of a German sub-

marine off the Spanish coast has

steamer. Yonna, was sunk by

miles west of Cape Finisterre.

zel Ioanna, of 1,191 tons.

SUNK

#### FIRST SECRET SESSION

WELLINGTON, June 5 (Reuter) -The House of Representatives for the first time in history has gone into secret session to discuss been announced. The Greek the war effort of New Zealand.

# NO COMMENT

submarine which shelled her 123 LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-Spanish vessel rescued 28 survivors. taking them to Vigo. There is no In Moscow, Soviet newspapers pubship called the Yonna in Lloyd's lish as much as 2,000 words of Mr. Register but there is a Greek ves- Winston Churchill's speech but transport drivers was also disoffer no comment.

POWER OF ALLIES

SUPERIOR SEA

LONDON, June 5 (Remer) -Affihoritative circles comment that the Prime Minister's mention of the loss of Channel ports referred to only four of the northern ports.

While this is admittedly an important reverse, it is to be remembered that the other Channel To attain the momentum bined. It embodies many new de- ports, including Cherbourg and Havre, which accommodate After the Sedan "break through" largest vessels, will enable full by the Allies.

The successful evacuation Dunkirk, despite the immense and concentrated enemy opposition is circles as a complete demonstration of the supremacy of the 'Allied sea power which is fundamentally unaffected by the loss of the above-mentioned ports, all of which, moreover, have been tremendously damaged as a result of the demolitions and bombard-

# Capt. Ramsay Appeals

LONDON. June 5 (Reuter)-At the opening of Commons today the Speaker read a letter from Capt. A. H. Ramsay stating that he had been under preventive arrest nearly a fortnight with no charge preferred against him. and claiming this was a grave violation of the privileges and rights of a member of Parliament. Capt. Ramsay begged the Speaker to convey his appeal to the House. Having read the letter the Speaker paused but nobody rose

to comment and the House proceeded to the next business. (It will be recalled that Capt. Ramsay was arrested under the direction of the Home Secretary. Sir John Anderson, under the Detence General Regulations on May

23 last).

#### H.K.'S TRANSPORT **FACILITIES**

Although there has been no suggestion that such a state of emergency, is expected, local transport companies yesterday held a meeting to discuss ways and means of "amalgamating" all transport service should the necessity arise, the Daily Press learned late last night.

It was also stated that the question of recruiting some. 1.500 cussed.

#### RADIO SHOTOS OF PARIS RAID

TOKYO TOKYO 5 (Reuter)-Radio photos of the German air raid on maris on Monday afternoon received in Tokyo at 3. Tyesterday afternoon by war of America.

The picture were flashed to New York wireless, from New York to an Francisco and from California City to the Tokyo Radio

The picting are comparatively clear the

The Moral I

# HOLD YOUR TONGUE!

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-A Labour Exchange employee named S. H. House, was fined £10, and five: guineas cost Mansfield, Notts, for spreading as rumour which he informed the police he had heard on the German news broadcast relating to the Government occupation of local schools, only tone and a quarter hours, after the Government decision had been taken in the mat-

Further investigations showed that House heard passer-by discuss the subject after which he falsely attributed it to 'Lord Haw Haw."

This was the first case of its kind under the Emergency Power Regulations in Care

# U.S. Defence Tax Bill

NEW YORK, June 5 (Reuter)-An hour after President Rocsevelt's approval of the defence taxes of \$1,000,000,000 the Ways and Means Committee unanimously voted an amendment to the pending Defence Tax Bill increasing the national debt limit by \$4,000,000,000 and providing for a levy of new taxes amounting to \$1,000,000,000 an-

## U.S. NAVAL VESSELS

WASHINGTON, June 5 (Reuter) -President Roosevelt submitted a request to Congress to sanction the expenditure of \$1,277,000,000 defence purposes, including the construction of 68 naval vessels and a large sum for Army aero-

10,000 PLANES

The Senate has approved of egislation authorising the exp pansion of the United States' Naval .. Air Force to 10,000 planes with 18,000 pilots and providing for the establishment of naval air bases around the United States

# On Other-

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#### OFFICIAL ORGANISATION OFMAN - POWER GREAT RESPONSE

"By the end of the year we would have enlisted three and a half million mena really colossal figure, half the total population of Australia and twice that of New Zealand," said Mr. Godfrey Ince, an official in the Ministry of Labour, who described the organisation of man-power in Britain in the course of a broadcast talk from Daventry yesterday.

Mr. Ince started his talk by saying that the purpose of his address was to show the smooth working of conscription in Britain since it was introduced and which had affected the lives of nearly every family in the country.

Mr. Ince went on to describe a visit paid by him to one of the employment exchanges." What he witnessed there was testimony of spirit in which the people were supporting the war effort of Britain.

HIS PEOPLE TONIGHT

Loud-Speakers Put In

Order For Occasion

que issued after yesterday's Cabinet meeting made no re-

ference to the war does not necessarily mean that the

decision was postponed. It is pointed out that Signor

Mussolini is under no obligation to call the Cabinet to ap-

balcany of Palazzo Venezia on Thursday evening. The loud-speak-

ers in the principal squares are now being tested for the occasion.

gratitude for the efficient help Italy's non-belligerency has brought

It is reported that II Duce will address the nation from the

The press features a mass of telegrams from Berlin expressing

ROME, June 5 (Reuter)—The fact that the communi-

pulsory system had been entrust- cular day. ed to a civil department and on the day of his visit men of the age of 25 were being registered for military service.

ANXIOUS TO SERVE

bourers, accountants and univer- were not being called up, sity lecturers—all being treated! required and it was all over.

after nine o'clock in the evening

prove or announce his decision.

Many readers ask if that is the

case, why not let us continue as

non-belligerents. They also ask

what has happened since Septem-

But these views are not reflected

in the press where the inevitability

PRES. ROOSEVELT'S

INFLUENCE?

WASHINGTON June 5 (Reuter)

\_President Roosevelt is being given

some of the credit for Italy's

Diplomatic circles believe that

the President's correspondence

with Rome beginning a few weeks

ago, took the line that any change

balance of non-belligerency and in

that event the United States might

be influenced to bear more heavily

It is now almost universally ac-

in Italy's status would alter

United States was also raised

failure to announce her entry into

ber to compel a change.

of war is preached daily.

the war yesterday.

towards the Allies.

ticket will win.

Germany.

#### MEDICAL TESTS

Great Britain was certainly not slow on the up-take this time as far as the mobilisation of her power was concerned, and it was One side of the counter was all being done according to prothronged with men waiting to perly drawn up plans. According give in particulars about them- to these plans, the skilled men reselves. They were of varied types quired for producing ammunition -bricklayers, clerks, shop assis- for the troops in the field were phasis on the fact that never was tants, skilled fitters, general la- being left in the industry and democracy, better united, adding

exactly alike and all anxious to scenes at examinations of the re- ing his or her level best to exbe registered in the service of gistered men by the Medical pedite war production and bring their country. A few minutes was Boards. Five doctors were in at nearer, the day of the defeat of all it took to give the clerk be- tendance in each of these halls, Hitlerism. hind the counter the particulars each performing a part of the examination so that the whole, Later in the evening when he business was over in about 25 was back in his room in the Min- minutes. The examination was istry of Labour in Whitehall, the very thorough and the men had TO CRIPPS numbers registered during that to be quite fit before they were day started coming in and just passed for service. Most of them Continued on Page 7

# This Great Democracy

Great Britain's determination to increase her war efforts in every The "task of recruiting men to it was shown that 314,000 men direction remains unabated" and the army forces under the com- had registered during that parti- in this direction the nation's leaders are giving the different undertakings every encouragement, from addresses at meetings' to broadcast talks,

> Mr. Arthur Greenwood, the Labour leader, yesterday gave a very excellent broadcast talk which cannot but reap the most benefi-

Mr. Greenwood laid great emthat every individual Labour, Mr. Ince proceeded to describe Conservative or Liberal, was do-

# NO OBJECTION APPOINTMENT

MOSCOW, June 5 (Reuter)—It is -- announced -- that -- the -- British Charge d'Affaires notified M. Molotov, Foreign Commissar, of the British Government's intention to appoint Sir Stafford Cripps as Ambassador in Moscow in place of Sir William Seeds.

Sir Stafford's status is to be that of an ordinary Ambassador without extraordinary functions.

M. Molotov replied that the Soviet Government "does not object to the appointment.

The French Charge d'Affaires notified the French Government's desire to replace its Ambassador, M. Naggiar, by M. Labonne, M. Molotov intimated that he did not anticipate that there would be any

#### CHILDREN FOR OVERSEAS?

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare. Parliamentary Secretary for the Dominions, told a questioner in Commons today the question of evacuating children from Britain to Canada and Australia is receiving urgent consideration and he hoped to be able to make a statement on the

# Roosevelt requested congress in his

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-In formed him that such authority the House of Commons today Mr. G. le M. Mander asked whether Mr. Roosevelt was described as the Polish Norwegian, Dutch and believing that a sudden need for Belgian Governments had given the Guard might arise and valu- undertakings not to make separate able time would be lost if Congress peace similar to the agreement It is believed that the question had to be called back to enact the between Britain and France.

Mr. R. A. Butler said such an undertaking was embodied in the Angio-Polish Agreement but no formal undertaking was concluded with other Governments mention-

Mr. Mander asked whether the assisted in the evacuation of the them and Mr. Butler said that Goyforces from Dunkirk, arrived in ernment was continually in touch

FRENCH HERO IN LONDON

ROOSEVELT TO

CALL OUT

GUARD

WASHINGTON. June 5 (Reuter)

-The possibility that National

Guardsmen might be needed to re-

place the regulars if it became

necessary to send troops to such

places as the Panama Canal zone

or Puerto Rico is said to be one

of the chief reasons why President

latest defence message for au-

It is learned on high authority

that President Roosevelt made the

request because Army officials in-

thority to call out the chuard.

was desirable.

the authorisation

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-Ad- ed. and the only task before the miral Abrial. Commander-in-Chief Chicago conventions will be select of the French Naval forces, which Government would consult with tion of a vice-presidential candidate and that the Democratic London yesterday and was receiv- with the Alles and are determined ed in audience by the King today, in our joint resolve.

# Congestion Relieved

#### BRANCH OFFICE FOR SALE OF CASH TICKETS SWEEP

The desire to get rich quick, human " nature which could honestly disclaim. has given a fillip to the sale of cash sweep tickets.

In order to relieve congestion at their general office the Hongkong Jockey Club has opened a branch at No. 149, Des Voeux Road, Central, ground floor, for the sale of sweep tickets.

The branch was opened on May 15 last and no other business will be conducted there. Sweep tickets for play. will continue to be sold at the general office and as heretofore, through chances may only be booked at the Exchange Building office,

This step by the Jockey Club will" certainly be appreciated by the various offices housed in Exchänge Building, which must have been inconvenienced in no small measure by the periodical throngs of "fortune hunters" that invade day:the premises.

# Baseball Results

NEW YORK, June 5 (Reuter)-The following are the results of League baseball matches played yesterday:

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Cleveland	3	9
Washington	2	11
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# Lawn Bowls Results

The following were the results of the open" pairs lawn bowls championship played at Civil Service C.C. yesterday:-

W. Mulcahy and T. W. Carr beat A. J. Coelho and F. X. Delgado 17-16.

A. A. Razack and C. S. Rosselet beat K. M. Rumjahn and S. M. Rumjahn 19-14.

R. Basa and J. S. Landolt beat K. M. Omar and A. M. Rumjahn 27-14.

Continued from Monday, J. F. McGowan and H. E. Strange beat W. J. Penney and A. E. Coates by 24-23 at the H.K.F.C.

# ADVERTISEMENT

MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

be held at Areid Preta, Macao, on Sunday, 9th June, 1940, commencing at 3.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 2.30 p.m.

Admission to Members' Enclosure: \$1; Public Stand: 50

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# MAI.-GEN SIMMONS INIURED AT POLO

SHANGHAI, June 5 (Reuter)-Major-General F. Keith Simmons, M.V.O., O.B.E., M.C., Commander of the British Forces in the Shanghai Area, was injured while playing polo yesterday evening. The pony under him fell and he

It is stated that he will continue his command from the hospital.

suffered a severe fracture of the

LOCAL TOURNEY The first round of the Navy Cup American Polo Tourney, which was to have been played yesterday at the H.K. Polo Club, was postponed owing to the ground being unfit

# Lawn Bowls Teams For Saturday

The following are the Lawn Bowls League selections for Satur-

FIRST DIVISION

Recrelo "A" (Away) v. Police R.C. L. F. Xavier, F. X. Soares, R. F. Luz, H. A. Alves (skip); L. J. Silva, C. M. Silya, J. V. Ribeiro, F. X. Sliva (skip); J. A. Luz, C. E. Marques, F. V. Ribeiro, C. G. Silva (skip).

Recreio "B" (Home) v. Indian R.C. C. C. Pereira, D. C. Alves, A. P. Guterres, B. Basto (skip); F. A." Machado, C. H. Basto, C. Roza Pereira, J. J. Basto (skip); A. P. Pereira, C. Lopes, J. C. Remedios, J. Noronha (skip).

Indian R.C. v. Recreio "B" (Away) J. Hoosen, A. K. Suffiad, A. R. Minu, A. K. Minu (skip); A. H. Rumjahn, S. Yusuf, M. Y. Adal, A. R. Dallah (skip); D. M. Khan, A. M. Rumjahn, A. O. Madar, M. R.

Abbas (skip). SECOND DIVISION

Recreio (Home) v. Craigengower M. F. Alarcon, A. F. Noronha, A Rodrigues, O. P. Remedios (skip): P. M. N. Silva, J. A. Remedios, C M.S. Alves, P. Yvanovich (skip): F. A. Kavier, H. R. Pinna, E. M. Remedios, E. Souza (skip).

H.K.C.C. v. Police R.C. (Away) F. D. Angus, J. L. Mouat, G. E Costello, B. E. Marighan (skip); R. R. Davies, A. McKellar, G. S Archbutt, L. A. R. Duncan (skip); T. A. Pearce, J. Prentice, R. A. Edwards, A. W. Brown (skip).

THIRD DIVISION Indian R. v. H.R. Football Club (Home)

A. S. Suffied, S. A. R. Bux, A. H. jahn, A. Bakar (skip); M. B. Westcott (Wolverhampton). Hassan, J. M. A. Ramjahn, U. A. Rumjahn, M. Rumjahn (skip). H.K.C.C. Traigengower (Away). H. A. At. s, L. E. N. Ryan, W. Cornell, P. S. Cassidy (skip); W. A. Cruickshank, B. J. Lacon, A. S. Mitchell, R. H. Wild (skip); W. Hansen, E. S. Doughty, E. Hospes, E. S. Abrahan (skip). Electric R.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C. (Away)

A. G. Gardner, R. F. Gregory, A. P. Tarbuck, A. F. Paul (skip); W. Stoker, W. E. Macfarlane, H. S. McKay, J. F. Lunny (skip); R. A. Owens, C. E. Gahagan, G. T. Padgett, G. G. S. Thomson (skip).

# SPORTING

SWIMMING. - Water-Polo, European Y.M.C.A. "B" team v. Royal Army Service Corps ("Y" Pool) 7 p.m. Swimming and water-polo practice 5.30 p.m. - 7.30 p.m. TENNIS LEAGUE.—"D" Division: C. R. C. "B" v. C. R. C. "A" C. C. C. v. Filipino Club; L. R. C. v. S.C. A.A.; K.C.C. v. K. I.

T. C. TOMORROW

SWIMMING - European Y.M.C.A. Business Girls' Hour (5.30-8.30 p.m.). Mixed Swimming (6:30 p.m.-9 p.m.).

TENNIS LEAGUE. Mixed Doubles: K.C.C. "A" v. C.R.C; H. K. C. C. v. L.R.C.; US.R.C. v K. C. C. "B"

SATURDAY, JUNE 8 The June Race Meeting will LAWN BOWLS.—First Division: Police R. C. v. Recreio "A." Kowloon B.G.C. v. Craigengower, Kowloon Docks R.C. v. Civil Service C.C., H.K. Football Club v. Kowloon C.C., Recreto "B" v. Indian R.C. Second Division: Recreio v. Craigen-C.C. Kowloon C.C. v. Kowloon are lying at their offices;-B.G.C., Civil Service v. Kow-

# WEMBLEY DRAMA

# GOALKEEPER'S ERROR & MISSED PENALTY

England 0 wales 1 Cpl Sam Bartram, of the RAF. and Charlton, who made his name as an acrobatic goalkeeper long ago, flew through the air with his usual case recently at Wembley. but, unluckily, he had one bad moment which cost England match and gave gallant little

Wales a most unexpected win. Bartrum's trouble started when Bryn Jones, as" if to remind the 40,000 crowd why he was worth £14,000 of Arsenal's money in 1938, took the ball through on a 20 yards run and, from the edge of the penalty area, let go a proper broadside. A grand shot, with all his weight behind it, but the goalkeeper saw it coming and should have saved.

Instead, Bartram had the ball in his arms for only a fleeting second; the next, it had spum from his grasp and was over the

minute before half-time, and five minutes from the end-of the match England's waning star set for good when Wille Hall made a penalty kick.

DISAPPOINTING FORWARDS

On paper, England, in spite of the regrettable absence of Mercer -his place was taken by Wilingham-should have dominated the play. Nothing of the kind happened. The inside forwards, Hall and. Goulden, have never looked unlike England players; Denis Compton, always trying to beat his man on the inside, was blacked out by Turner and Westcott, a scoring centre when given "the chance, was left in the air.

The brilliance of Matthews was the only redeeming feature of this disjointed and unhappy England attack which, I must add, received precious little assistance from the wing half-backs. Willingham's habit of taking the ball up and making himself a sixth forward added to the confusion and was especially unhelpful to Matthews.

The clean-cut "tactics of Wales formed a pleasant contrast. Much of the midfield scheming was left to Bryn Jones, with the forceful Dearson also covering a large slice of ground, and as Leslie Jones once again rose to the internationaloccasion their front line moved with snap and decision.

ENGLAND - Bartram "(Charlton); Bacuzzi (Fulham), Hapgood (Arsenal) (capt.); Willingham Madar, A. M. Wahab (skip); M. hampton), Copping (Leeds); Mat-Hassan, A. G. Sufflad, K. M. Rum- thews (Stoke) Hall (Tottenham), ber of ladies, the wives of local O. Salazar and hoisting the flag 2 p.m. Goulden (West Ham), D. Compton (Arsenal).

WALES.—Sidlow (Wolverhamp-"ton"); Turner (Charlton) (capt.) Williams (Millwall); (Charlton), Davies (Nottm. Forest). Witcomb (West Bromwich); Hopkins (Brentford), Dearson (Birmingham), Astley (Břackpool), Bryn Jones (Arsenal); L. Jones (Arsenal).

Referee: Pilot Officer A. J. Jewell (R.A.F.).

# Portuguese Ceremony

An interesting ceremony took place at the Portuguese Consulate on Tuesday evening, namely, the hoisting of the flag of King Alfonso Henriques, founder of the Portuguese state.

The Consul first read the official proclamation of the Lisbon Government in the presence of representatives from all the Portuguese Associations and Clubs in the Colony.

After a short speech in which he touched on the significance of the ceremony, a toast was drunk and the flag, a blue cross on white background was raised at precisely the hour arranged for the ceremony throughout the Portuguese world.

The flag, together with the present national ensign of green and red will be flown throughout the day and will be lowered at sunset. Both were the gift of the Governor of Macao.

# TELEGRAMS

Thear Great : Northern :: Telegraph gower, Kowloon Tong v. Taikoo. Company (Limited), advises; that R.C. Police R.C. v. Hongkong the following unclaimed telegrams

C. Kowloon B.G.C. v. H.K. Elec- Arab, Kowloon Hotel from Tokyo. it to the government. hibition.

# Anniversary Of Portugal

# CELEBRATIONS MACAO

(From Our Own Correspondent) MACAO, June 3 - The Duplo-Centenary of the Foundation of Portural (1140) and the Restoration of the National Independence (1640) was officially celebrated in Macao yesterday, large crowds at tending the Te Deum service at the Se Cathedral. The scene the Cathedral was colourful with the dresses and uniforms of local residents, consular, naval, military and civil officials. SPECIAL SERMON

In the absence of the Bishop of Macao, the Rev. Father Patricio Mendes, Dean of Se Cathedral officiated and preached a special sermon. Among those, who attending was "H. E. the Governor of Macao Dr. Artur Tamagnini de Sousa Barbosa Representatives of the British and French governments were also present.

At II o'clock in the evening. a select crowd assembled in the Leal Benado hall for the solemn session attending the opening the reconstructed building Governor

THOSE PRESENT

Among those present were:-Lt.-Comm. Holmes . (H. M. S. "Scout"), representing the Hongkong Government; Lt.-Comm. Saint-George (French gunboat "Argus). representing the French Government: Mr. B. de Senna Fernandes, Consul for Slam: Mr. H. D Bryan. H.B.M. Consul; Maj. S. V. Boxer Dr. Luis Camara de Menezes Alves. Colonial Secretary; Dr. A. Gouveia Carvalho Private Secretary; Mr. A. V. W. Hockenhull; Mr. O. Wolters, Mr. A. W. D. James, and Mr. G. A. McCaskie, Malayan State cadets: Capt Libanho Gomes; Comm. Peixoto Lima; Capt. Cardoso C.O. Artillery; Mr. J.C. Nolasco: Dr. J. Ferreira e Castro; Dr. Adelino Conceicao; Lt. Carvalno: Lt. Salgado: Lt. Calado Comm. Sanches Miranda. A.D.C.; Mr. Luciano Martins. Postmaster-General: Mr. H. W. Bradley, Commissioner of Chinese Maritime Customs; Mr. Leung Au Ium, Chinese Representative; Capt. J Montalvao e Silva, Commissioner of Police: Mr. A. M. da Silva; Dr. Dr. Mascarenhas, Chief Judge; Mr. E. J. Gellion; Lt. Pedro Costa; anniversary of the Jorge: Dr. J. de Vila Franca; Dr. of Portugal's independence. A. Larangeira; Lt. Silveirinha;

# A new civil wireless station is being constructed in Singahave reached a stage where tenders have been called

pore to replace an existing one, and plans for the new project

The Malay Tribune understands that the whole scheme will cost just over \$200,000, it being one of the largest projects of its kind to be undertaken by the local Government in the field of Communications.

Another wireless station project has been decided upon for Singapore It will also be a civil station and will stand off West Coast of the Island.

Land for this purpose was recently acquired by Government Tenders have been invited for the construction of two quarters for technical subordinate, block of quarters (seven terrace houses) for technical subordinates. sixteen pairs of semi-detached quarters for technical subordinaone pair of semi-detached quarters for police constables, one lorry driver's quarters, wireless transmitting station emergency power house garage and cycle shed, water tower and pipes and water cooling tower.

#### 50 ACRES OF GROUND

The new wireless and subsidiary buildings will stand on roughly 50 utmost importance the Warden's relistened to a speech by H E the village off the 141 milestone Jur- his day address ong Road.

> Work of generally clearing the ground is already in progress, and it is expected thatthe site will be ready for building operations in two months'

Some 200,000 cubic yards o earth will have to be exacavated. The new station will replace the

one now existing at Paya Lebar, which it was reported some time ago was being dismantled for removal to a new site. There will be two transmitting halis, both on the first-floor, a la-

yoratory, two air-conditioned for apparatus and storing and a slon. retiring room next to the studio. The station is expected to be

ready at the end of 1940. It is believed that this will be the first two-storeyed wireles station in Singapore.

#### **CELEBRATIONS** GUIMARES

LISBON, June 5 (Reuter)-Many Vargus Moniz. Medical Officer; Dr. thousands of people yesterday at-Adolto Jorge: Dr. Pedro Cobato; tended celebrations at Guimares to mark the eight hundredth Father Moriteiro: Mr. C. Catela; there of the Kingdom of Portugal Mr. Fernando Rego; Dr. Alberto and three-hundredth anniversary

Features of the celebrations residents and officials, were also of the first Portuguese King in the castle by President Carmona.

# NEWSETTES

Misses N. and L. Boisen, of Dr. Paul Yu Pin, Vicar Apostolic Misses N. and L. Boisen, of Dr. Paul Yu Pin, Vicar Apostolic Man, Fong Chung Ruen, Cheng Wai Hongkong, left yesterday for the for Nanking, has left Hengyang Lim Chan Kwai, Chung Bing, Ma

Mr. W. Rankin, of the Shang- his secretary. hai Electric Construction Co., who was in the Colony, left Hongkong yesterday for Shanghai.

Co., Shanghai, left Hongkong for tors. the north yesterday.

the Macau Electric Lighting Co., Ltd., arrived in Hongkong yester-

Engineering Co., Shanghai, was a Richards, 22-year-old Arizonian, passenger to the north from Hongkong yesterday.

A small fire occurred in a cubicle on the ground floor of No. 283, Reclamation Street, on Wednesday night.

An amah, Lo Sing, of No. 187. King's Road, was taken to the Queen Mary Hospital with a fracture was fired on and stopped at about PERFECTION tured skull, the result of a fall 1 a.m. Three men took \$30 in from a bus in motion.

Upon the joint recommendation of the Ministry of Interior and A national exhibition of war-

for Changsha on a tour "of the Yuk Lun, Lam Kwok Choy, Wong front. He was accompanied by Pak Kurn. Tsang Kwong Bun. This secretary. Bing Kwan, Miss. Wong Kim Heh.

The exhibition of paintings at the Y.M C.A. in aid of the Anti-Tuberculosis Association was con-Mrs. E. Bruce, wife of Mr. E. tinued yesterday from 10 a.m. to Bruce, of the China Navigation 7 p.m. and attracted many visi-

A swimming contest and a boat Mr. F. Isako, owner of the race across the Kialing River in Olympic Circus now showing in Chungking will be held on June Kowloon, left for Shanghai yes- 9, under the joint sponsorship of the National Association for the Promotion of the New Life Move-Mr F. J. Gellion, Chairman of ment and the Chungking Municipal Athletic Federation.

A committee has been formed from the American community to Mr. F. G. Ede, of the Kun Lee raise funds for Miss Paula against whom an expulsion order was made on Tuesday for entering the Colony as a stowaway. She will be sent back to Manila.

> A Chinese girl was shot in the chest by pirates early yesterday morning, when an attack was made on a junk in waters south of Cheung Chau Island. The junk cash and escaped in their own 5COTS

the China Aviation Reconstructime literary works will be held tion Association. the Executive by the Literary Prize Fund Com-Yuan decided, at its regular meet- mittee, in Chungking. Messrs. Master Greek Steamer Mallakos ing held in Chungking to issue an Chang Tao-fan, Hung Shen, Lin loon Football C. Third Division: c/o Harbour Master: Ng Pui Fun order commending Mr. Chen Feng-mien. Yang Han-shen and Kowloon Football Club v. Prison c/o Tin Sau Tong, Des Voeux Rd. Yung, an overseas Chinese at several other well-known writers O.C., Craigengower v. Hongkong, C.; Madam Doong c/o Luk Kwok Kuala Lumpur, who alone pur and artists were appointed to C.C., Indian R.C. v. H.K. Football Hotel; from Shanghal. Harold chased an aeroplane and donated make preparations for the ex-

#### A.R.P. ORDERS

tor of Air Raid Precautions. DAYLIGHT EXERCISE NO.

WIRELESS

of 8.30 a.m. and 9.30 a.m. and Sun-June 9.

The commencement and termination of the exercise will be notified by blasts of I minute duration from the Air Raid Warning Syren on the Gloucester Building.

sion will parade under instructions from the Divisional Warden. part in the exercise. DECLARATION FORMS

'Divisional Wardens are asked

RESIGNATIONS

Mr. A. R. Abdulraham resigned from the A.R.P. Organization on Mr. L. Agafuroff, Air Raid Warden,

as from May 28, on joining the H.K. LEAVE OF ABSENCE Mr. J. B. Harrison, Divisional Warden. Western Division, is granted

resigns from the A.R.P. Organization

leave of absence from the Colony from June 14 to July 6. CHANGE OF ADDRESS Mr. T. D. Chanatony formerly

Tung Lo Wan Road, Happy Valley-Bay View Division. Mr. Chan Ching Shan now, resider rooms one of which will be used at No. 33, Jervois St.—Central Divi

> LECTURE Major C. Champkin will Lusitano at 5.45 p.m. on Friday, June Divisional and Districts Wardens and A.R.P. Instructors are invited to

#### TRAINING The following Classes in Chinese been arranged:- w

C. 149-Elis Kadoorie School, Hospital Rd., Mon., Wed., and Fri. p.m. commencing on Friday, June Lecturer:-Mr. K. S. Leung.

commencing on June 10. Lecturer:-Mr. Wan Kam Fun, LARPS. Examination for Members of the Decontamination Practical Class:--An examination for students of Mr. (Huddersfield), Cullis (Wolver- Capt. F. Lara Reis; Father Sar- were an open air Mass, a speech Urban Council Chamber, Post Office Hooper's Class will be held at the mento; and many others. A num- by the Prime Minister, Dr. A. de Building, on June 11, commencing at

Members of the class should report to the examiner at the time and place indicated.

Examination Results: - At examination held recently, the lowing qualified as Wardens and are posted as hereunder:-

Quarry Bay Division:-Fong Chung

Hang, Pung Shing Kee, Leung Chiu, Lau Ching Por, Lam Sui Man Cheung Ngau, Miss Wong Wai Fong, Yuen Man Hon, Leung Yui Heung, Cheng Yiu Wah, Li Shek Foo, Li Siu Shaukiwan Division:-Tso Hong. Upper Levels Division:-Ms Chung

# Grave Paper Crisis

#### RISING COSTS IN BRITAIN

There are any number of things which can make publishing an immensely unprofitable business. One big one is to have the cost of paper rise (many a U.S. publisher felt the pinch when newsprint rose from \$42.50 to \$50 a ton in 1938). A.R.P. Orders by Wing-Commander Another is curtailed advertising.
A. H. S. Steele-Perkins, O.B.E., Direc- A third, most dangerous in the 'A third, most dangerous in the long run, is losing the confidence of the public, Recently British A daylight exercise will be held in publishers were squeezed in all Central Division between the hours three directions three directions.

#### NEWSPRINT

The pre-war price of newsprint in Great Britain was £11 5s a ton. Immediately after war began it jumped to £17. Last week, at £21 Air Raid Wardens of Central Divi- 10s (\$86), newsprint's price had almost doubled (while in the U.S. dens of other divisions will not take newsprint still sold for \$50). A further rise to £25 had been. ordered by the Ministry of Supply to for July 1, but after the invasion note that when submitting to this of Norway (two-thirds of Britain's office lists of Warden, who have sign-newsprint came from Scandinavia, ed the Declaration Forms it is of the the rest from Canada and Newacres of ground near Huat Choe sidential address is stated and not foundland) the increase was expected to take effect immediately.

SIZE REDUCED Cost was not the only trouble. June 1, on his joining the Police Re- Scarcity had resulted in voluntary the size in reductions newspapers. Penny papers, like Dally and Express, which used to run from 16 to 20 pages, were months, ago reduced to twelve, the great twopenny London Times to 16. All dailies including the Times aredown to an average of ten pages. twelve on Sundays. With only a or 300,000-ton reserve of newsprint a. Eastern Division, now resides at 15, ten-week supply of pulp for Britain's mills, a publishers' agreement to reduce 'all papers "to six pages was momentarily expected. Newsdealers are no longer permitted to return unsold papers. and it is often practically impostalk on "How to Lecture" at the Club sible to buy a morning paper unless one has a standing order with

#### ADVERTISING SPACE

Like editorial space, advertising space has had to be reduced, and premium rates are often charged. for advertisements more than twocolumns \_wide, Rates were raised LAR some time ago because of higher printing costs. Last week 13 dailies 150-A.R.P. School, 88, Morrison agreed to raise the rates another Hill Rd., Mon. and Thurs, at 7.30 p.m. 25% on May 1. If advertising does not shrink further, it too may berationed. Meanwhile, many advertisers are turning to billboards.

#### DUKE'S DAUGHTER DIVORCED

A decree nist has been granted. against Lady orsula Filmer-Sankey, daughter of the Duke of Westminster, on grounds of adultery with a man named Vernon.

The husband, William Filmer-Sankey, was granted custody of the two children. The suit was not defended. ...

A.R.P. Training—Shamshuipo Divion June 9 (Sunday) at 9 a.m. in the Police Training School

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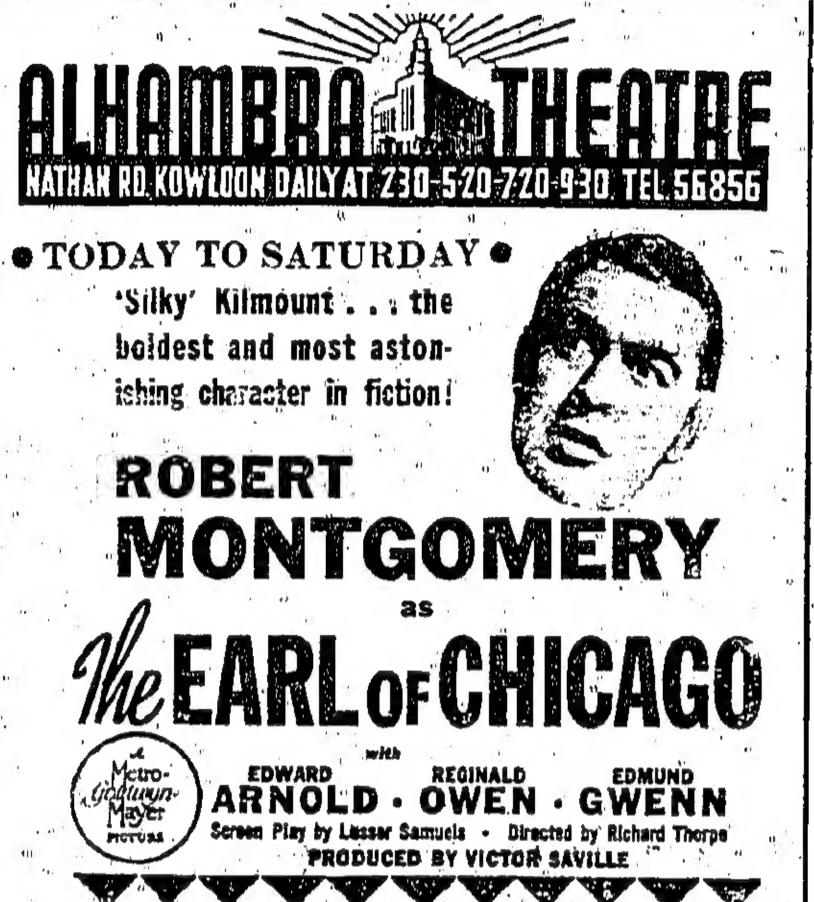
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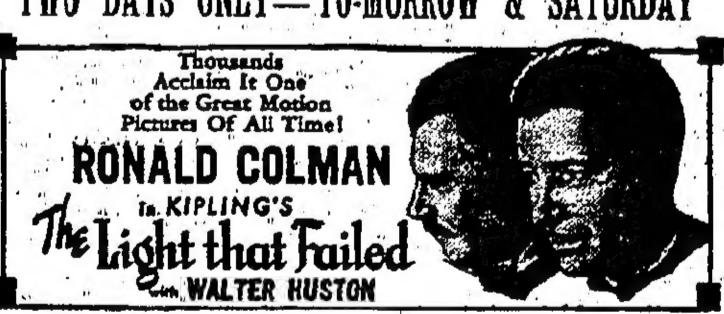
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# WAR HAS "HIT"

"The war definitely hits the donducting examinations of the study of music very hard in Lon- students there, Dr. Lovelock will don-but not in the East. In fact, spend about a month in Malaya the number of music students in before going on to Colombo. the Far East is increasing," said Dr. Lovelock, who succeeded Dr. Dr. William Lovelock, an examiner Mistowski in the performance of of the Trinity College of Music, this annual Far Eastern tour, who is now in Singapore to con- of opinion that the standard of duct examinations of Malayan music in Hongkong is fairly good.

Recently arrived from Hong- the abilities of the Chinese cankong, where he spent some time didates there," he said."

students.

"I was particularly surprised by

# Programmes

and Others.

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12.15 p.m. Short Service of Intercession. 12.30 Hawallan Selections. Honolulu March; Kohala March - Jones. Vocal-When That Harvest

Frank Ferera and John K. Paaluhi Moon Is Shining (Stevens)-The Hill (Hawaiian Guitars). Down in Walki- Billies with Novelty accomp. Vocal ki (Archer); My Hawaiian Song of -We're Still Single Today (Revuell Love (Davis and Akst)—Eddie's Ha- and West)—Ethel Revnell and Gracie waiian Orchestra. Rose Dreams West. Sketch—The Steamboat Trip Swance -The Two Cockney Kids (Ethel Rev-Moon (Leon, Towers and Pelosi) "-George Elliott's Hawaiian Novelty Night (Conrad and Others)-The Hil Quartet with Vocal Chorus.

Billies with Novelty accomp. 12.50 Songs by Turner Layton at

Born to Dance - Selection (Cole Porter); Pennies from Heaven-Selection (Burke and Johnston). When My Dreamboat Comes Home (Friend and Franklin). 1.00 Local Time Signal and Wea-

ther Report. 1.03 Dance Music by Ambrose and

His Orchestra. Quickstep - Kiss Me Goodnight, Sergeant Major. Fox-Trots-Wishing from 'Love Affair');" If I Didn't Care, Comedy One-Step - Eleven More Transmission I-News Sum-Months and Ten More Days, Fox-Trot-My Prayer; Rumba-Ain't Cha Comin' Out? Fox-Trots-Plain Jane; Trans. II & III-News Sum-Hullaralco.

1.30 Reuter & Rugby Press Wenther Forecast and Announcements. 1.45 Mozart-Concerto No. 3 in G Major.

Yehudi Menuhin (Violin) 'and the Paris-Symphony Orchestra conducted by Georges Enesco.

2.15 Close down. 5.45 Studio-Children's Hour.

6.45 Closing Local Stock Quota-

Light Orchestral Programme.

6.47 Negro Spirituals. Oh! Rock Me, Julie; Oh! Didn't It Rain (arr. Burleigh); Git On Board small-pox and enteric fever were Lil' Chilliun; Dere's No Hidin' Place notified to the local Health au-(arr. Lawrence Brown). Since You thorities on Tuesday. Went Away (Johnson); Wid De Moon, Moon, Moon (Cook) - Paul Robeson (Bass) with Piano accomp. 7.00 Tudor Davies (Tenor) in a

Christmas - Overture (Coleridge- 9, Naphtha; 13, Mutiny; 17, Isis; Taylor); Lane Wilson Melodies-In- 18, Exert; 18, Stun; 20, Hide; 21, tro: When dull care; Phyllis has Outcome; 22. Emir; 23. Rues; 24. such charming graces; The Sallor's Ahead; 25, Eton; 27, Swords; 31, Life: My lovely Celia; Come. Let's be merry-Symphony Orchestra cond. by Dentist; 34, Ocarina; 35, Eleanor. Dr. Malcolm Sargent. Awakel Beloved ('Hiawatha' - Cole-Stun: 4. Urn: 5. Rip: 6, Gets: ridge-Taylor)—Tudor Davies (Tenor) with Orchestra. Petite Suite De Con- Teas: 10. Adenoids; 11. Hitherto cert (Coleridge-Taylor)-London Sym- 12, Hindhead; 14, Ultimate; 15, phony Orchestra cond by Dr. Mal-Ignorant; 16, Yew-trees; 25, Edge; clom Sargent-26 Once; 28, Weak; 29, Rald; 30.

7.30 London Relay-The News. 8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 Studio-Jazz-Piano Recital by Doreen Ma. 1. Body and Soul; 2. If I Were You; 3. (a) Lilacs in the Rain, (b) Care-

less, (c) Darn that Dream; 4, I Love

You Truly; 5. Give Love a Chance (composed by Dorsen Ma); 8. When You're Smiling. 8.20 Quentin Maclean and the Or-

Cinema Memories - Mediey. Free "(from 'O'Kay for Sound'); Night Must Fall (film 'The Tenth Man').

8.35 Selections from Light Opera. "The Bohemian Girl"-Vocal Gems (Balfe)—Light Opera Company with Orchestra. "The Gypsy Princess" — Selection (Kalman) - De Groot and 15. Give out The New Victoria Orchestra. 17 Certain Fledermaus" - Vocal Gems Strauss) — Grand Opera Company with Orchestra. 19. New type

9.00 Military Band Music.

Country Life Suite (Alford) - The 21 Proscribe Band of H.M. Royal Marines, Ply-24 Mountains mouth Division. The Soloist's Delight (Godfrey); Marche Herolque De Szabady '(Massenet, arr, Dan Godfrey)-The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards . cond. by Lieut. J. C. Windram.

9.15 London Relay-News Summary. 9.30 London Relay - "Vive .

France." 9.45 Ninon Vallin (Soprano) in a

French Programme. Berceuse De Jocelyn (Godard, arr Sandre): Veux-Tu Partir Un Jour? (adaptation of Tango by Albeniz) -Ninon Vallin (Soprano) with Piano and 'Cello: "Scenes Pittoresques" -Fetes Boheme (Massenet)—The London Palladium Orchestra. Valse De L'Adieu (arr. Darck); L'Adorable Cantilena (Spencer-Chapelle)-Ninon Vallin (Soprano) with Piano accomp. "Scenes Pittoresques"-Angelus (Massenet)—The London Palladium Orchestra. "Le Roi D'Ys" - Aubade (Lalo): "Manon"-Dream Song (Massenet)-Tino Rossi (Tenor) with Or-

Dr Lovelock who is 41 years of age has toured extensively in the Far East, having travelled no less than 17,000 miles during a three months' stay in Ind'a-between the end of July last and the beginning of December.

During that period he examined between 2.000 and 2,500 students. and was also surprised by the keen interest the candidates took in music.

"The Parsees are particularly keen on western music and culture in general."

# COMING EVENTS

p.m. Low 230 a.m. and 4.11 p.m. Sunrise: 337 s.m.: Sunset: 7.04 p.m. Peak Tramways Co. Ltd., An-10:13 Variety with the Hill Billies, Jack Buchanan, Cicely Courtneldge nual Meeting,"H.K. Hotel, 11 am. Charity Games morning, Y.M.C.A. 10 a.m., Admission 60 cts. Comedian-Yes, Mr. Brown (from Aust. and N.Z. Assor dance for Aust. the film)-Jack Buchanan with Or-NAVY Y.M.C.A., 8.30 p.m. chestra. Vocal-The Birthday of the Little Princess (Gay); The Little Toy

TO-DAY ONLY

Train (McLaren-Hulbert) - Cicely Road, 10.30 a.m. Courtneidge with Orchestra. Vocal— H.K. Y's Men's Club Timn Mig., Ole Faithful (Carr); Take Ma Boots St. Francis Hotel, 1 p.m. Speaker: Off When Ah Dies (Carr)—The Hill Mrs. D. Hole.

dian Oo! Lat Lat film "That's a St. Andrew's Club Mtg., 9 p.m. good girl'); So Green (film 'That's a Water-Polo at Y Pool; Y.M.C.A. "B"

good girl')-Jack Buchanan with Orchestra. Short Sketch-Mr. Penny on Government Service (Molseiwitsch)-Richard Golden; Doris Gilmore: An-thony Eustrel; Rani Waller; Glynn

prize-giving, 9 p.m.

p.m. Low 3.03 a.m. amit 4.53 mm. nell and Gracie West). Vocal-Good-11.00 London Relay-Background Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.) Govt. House. 9 a.m.—12.30 p.m. Cheero Club: Darts, Table-Tennis &

> "Home Nursing," 5.30 p.m. ship, 10.30 a.m.

Andrew's Mothers' Union Jumble Sale in St. Andrew's Hall: 3

G.S.H. ..... 21.47m.e. (\$1.97m.) p.m. G.S.O. ..... 18.18m.c. (12.79m.) to discuss local War Effort, 6 p.m. Full Bulletin ..... 5.00 p.m.

8-Tides: High 10.02 a.m.; Low Trinity"

Claims against estate of Justina Jessie" Anderson due. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., Annual Meet-

a.m. Low 4.16 a.m. and 6.19 p.m. Sunrise: 5.36 a.m.; Sunset: 7.05 p.m. Macao Races.

Sunrise: 5.35 a.m.; Sunset: 7.06 p.m. H.R. Pootball Assn. Meeting, 5.30 p.m.

12-Royal Naval Cup Polo Competition-First Round

ter Hosking Machen due. Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd., First Interim dividend payable. 17-Claims against estate of Haus Henrik Wielsen due.

Auxiliary Nursing Service: Lectures Home Nursing, commence at Queen Mary Hospital, 5.30 p.m. Royal Naval Cup Polo Competition, Second Round

21-Royal Naval Cup Polo Competition, Third Round:

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St. Patrick's Club, Steel Coulson

7-Tides: High \$26 am, and 11.23 Sunrise: 5.36 a.m.; Sunset: 7.65 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Business Girls' Swimming, 5.30 p.m.; Badminton, 5 p.m.; Mixed Swimming, 6.30 p.m.

St. John's Cathedral Hall: Volunteer Nursing Detachment lecture on Helena May Inst. Christian Fellow-

St. Andrew's Hall: Public Meeting Mr. J. T. Bagram's Garden Display,

3.38 a.m. and 5.35 p.m. Sunrise: 5.36 a.m.; Sunset: 7.05 p.m. Theoretical Examination

9-Tides: High 12.09 "a.m. and 10.44

16-Tides: High 12.56 a.m. and 11.30

Twelve cases of tuberculosis, five s.m. Low 4.55 a.m. and 7.05 p.m.

14-Claims against estate of Wal-

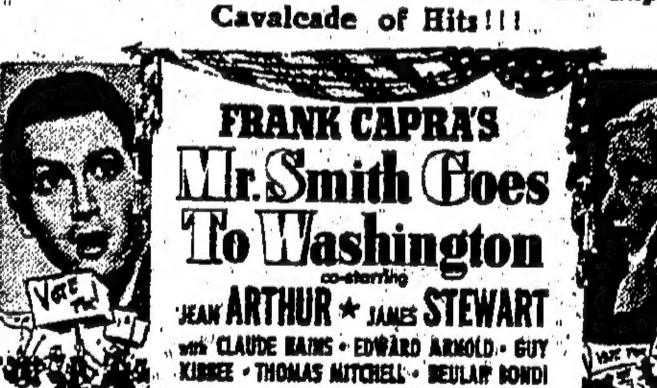
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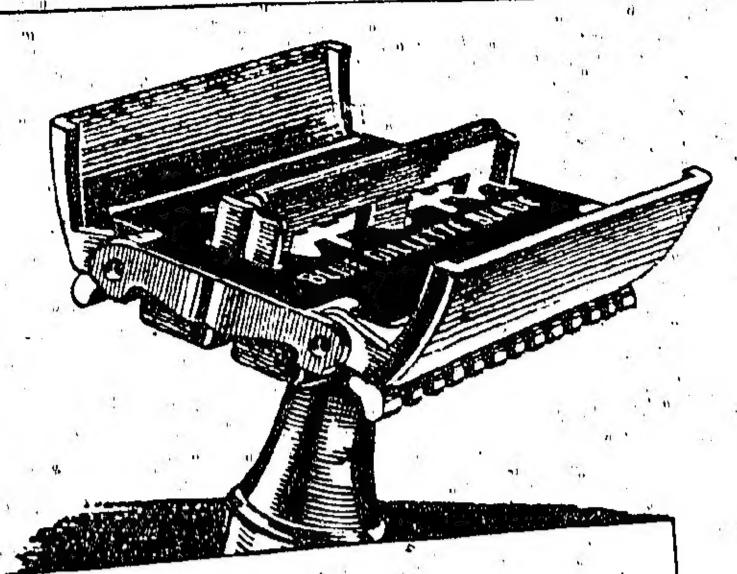


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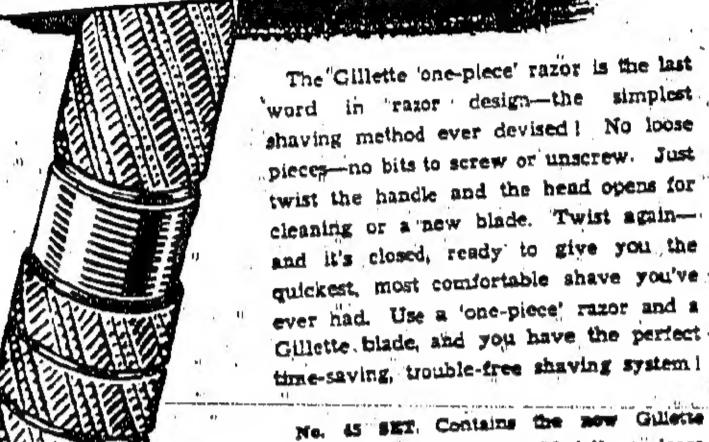
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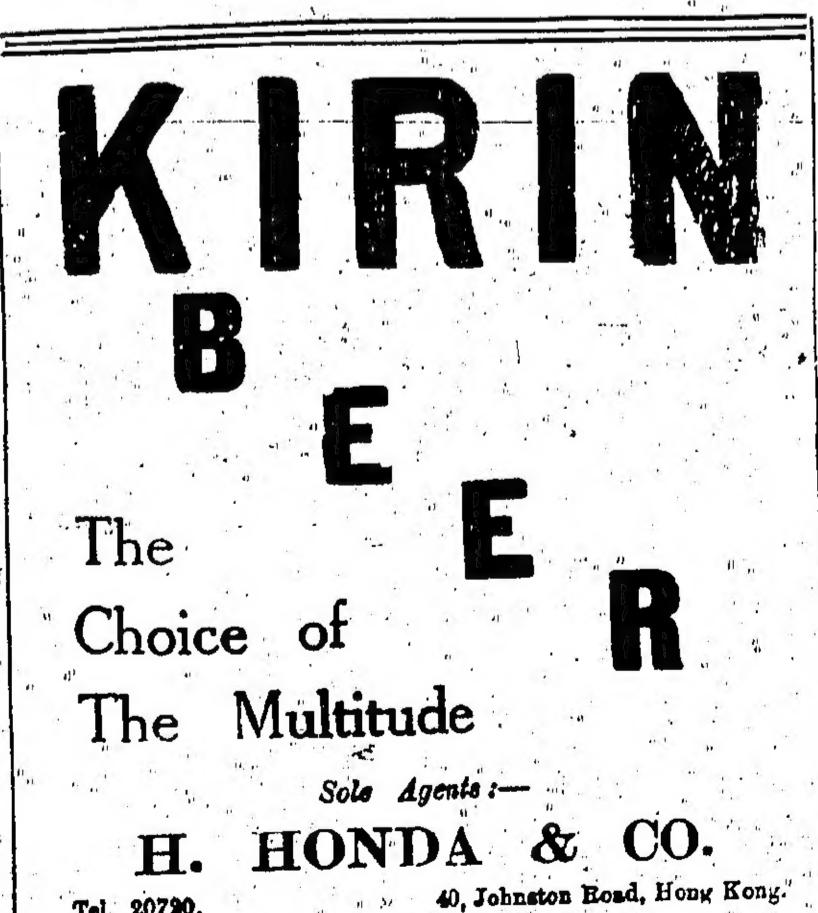
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away and they paid fourfold for

occasions from the attack of a

quarter of their number of the

R.A.F. and dispersed in different

driven into the water and cast

British planes which had no more

"All our types, all our pilots have

been vindicated: the Hurricanes,

planes are superior to what they

"When we consider how much

defending the air above this island

say I find in these facts a sure

basis upon which a practical and

"I return to the Army. In the

long series of very fierce battles,

now on this front and now on

that, fighting on three fronts at

once, battles fought by two or

three divisions against an equal

or somewhat larger number of the

enemy and fought very flercely on

the old ground that so many of

us knew so well, our losses in men

have exceeded 30,000 killed

sympathy of the House with all

"I take occasion to express the

who have suffered bereavement or

"The President of the Board of

"Against this loss of over 30,000 2

"An effort, the like of which

have never been seen in our re-

cords, is now being made. Work

and day, on Sundays and week-

"Already that flow of ammuni-

"Nevertheless, our thankfulness

at the escape of our army and so

many men whose loved ones have

passed through an agonising time

must not blind us to the fact that

"The French Army has been

"We are told that Hitler has u

"We shall not be content with

a defensive war. We have our duty

to our Allies. We have to recon-

stitute and build up a B.E.F. again

under its gallant Commander-in-

FIFTH COLUMN

take measures of increasing strin-

gency not only against enemy

Continued on Page 9

"We have found it necessary to

Chief, General Lord Gort.

weakened, the Belgian Army is

plan for invading the British Isles.

tions has leapt forward. ...

wounded and missing

are still anxious.

the Spitfires, and the new Defiant

ammunition (Cheers)

at present have to face.

airmen. (Cheers).-

# B.E.F. Will Be Built Up Again Under Lord Gort

[The following is the continuation of the statement by Mr. Winston Churchill, Prime Minister, in the House of Commons the first part of which was published in our issue yesterday.]

"In closing this flank contact was lost inevitably between the British and the two or three corps forming the first French army, which were still further from the coast than we were and it seemed impossible that a large number of Allied troops cou'd reach the coast. The enemy attacked on all sides in great strength and fury and their main power—the power of their far more numerous air force-was thrown into the battle or was concentrated upon Dunkirk and the beaches.

"Pressing in upon the narrow exits both from the east and from the west, the enemy began concentrated fire upon the beaches by which along shipping could approach or depart. They sowed magnetic mines in the channels and in the sea. They cent repeated waves of hostile aircraft, sometimes more than a hundred strong in one formation, to cast their bombs upon the single pier that remained and upon the sand dunes amid which the troops as they arrived, sought shelter.

fantry and artillery hurled them- the whole purposes of the war than tions." selves in vain upon the ever nar- this? rowing contracting appendix within which the British and French beaten back; they were frustrated armies fought.

STRAINED EVERY NERVE "Meanwhile, the Royal Navy, with the willing help (Cheers) of countless merchant seamen, and a host of volunteers (Cheers), struined every nerve to embark the British and Allied troops, Over 220 light warships and more than 650 other vessels were engaged. They had to operate upon a difficult coast, often in adverse weather, and amid an almost craseless hall of bombs and an increasing concentration, of artillery fire. Nor were the seas themseives free from mines and torpeodes.

"It was in conditions such as these that our men carried on with little or no rest for, days and nights on end, making trip after trip across the dangerous waters and bringing with them always the men whom they had rescued. The numbers brought back are the measure of their devotion and their courage (Cheers).

"The hospital ships "which brought off many thousands of wounded being so plainly marked, were a special target for Nazi bombs, but the men and women aboard them never faltered in their duty (Cheers).

'Meanwhile, the R.A.F. had been intervening in the battle, so far as its range would allow, from home ports and it now used part of its main metropolitan fighters, which, in large numbers, protected the ships. This struggle was protracted and Herce

SCENE CLEARED

"Now suddenly the scene has cleared. The crack of thunder has Trade is not here to-day. His sun for the moment, but only for the is killed. moment, died away. The miracle of deliverance (Cheers) achieved men, we may set the far heavier a by the valour, by the perseverance, loss certainly inflicted upon the by the perfect discipline, by the enemy. cauntless service, by the resource. | "We have, perhaps, lost one by the skill, by the unconquerable third of the men we lost in the fidelity is manifest to us ali. The opening days of the battle of enemy was hurled back by the re- | March 21, 1918. But we have lost treating French and British troops. nearly as many guns.—nearly 1,000 He was so roughly handled that guns,-and our transport and all he did not dare molest their de- armoured vehicles that were with the army in the north. parture seriously.

"The Air Force decisively defeated the main strength of the German Air Force and inflicted upon them a loss of at least four to one. And the Navy, using nearly a Clousand ships of all kinds, carr'ed over 335,000 men (Loud cheers) French and British, out of these jaws of death, and shame back to their native land and to the task which lie

immediately aheau." "We must be very careful not to what happened in France and Belassign to this deliverance the at- glum is a colossal military disastributes of victory. Wars are not ter. won by "evacuations (Hear hear). but there is a victory inside this deliverance which should be noted, lost. and it was gained by the Air Force.

ONLY SAW BOMBERS This has often been thought of "Many of our soldiers coming back had not seen the Air Force at work. They only saw bombers which escaped the protective attack. They underrate its achieve-

"I have heard much talk of that and that is why I go out of my way to tell the House about it. This was a great trial of strength between the British and the German Air Forces. Can you conceive a greater objective for the power of

# ITALY

DOOR NOT CLOSED TO NEGOTIATIONS

PARIS, June 5 (Reuter)-"If Italy enters the war, she will be doing so for the sole purpose of waging war," declared M. Reynaud. French Premier, in a statement to the Foreign Affairs Commission.

The Premier recalled that both before and since the war began, France had made known to Italy her willingness to open discussions with the aim of finding a friendly settlement on all outstanding questions.

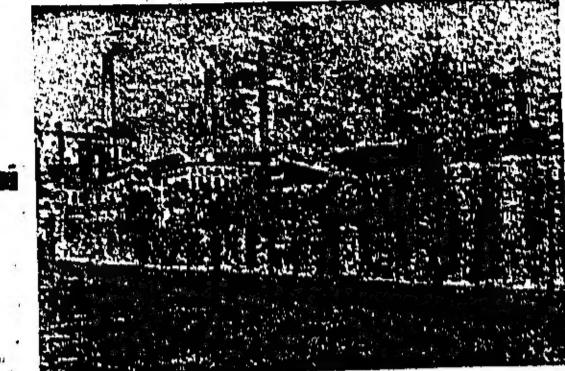
These overtures remained without response, but the attitude which the "Italian Government felt called to adopt has made no difference to the feelings of the French Government. A statement to this effect was brought to the notice of the Italian Government. 2

"Their U-boats, one of which Germany in the air than to make During the past few days, the was sunk, and their motor laun- all evacuation from these beaches French Government in full agreethes took toll of the vast traffic impossible and to sink all the ships ment with Great Britain, had rewhich now began. For four or five which were displayed, almost to newed its demarches and says. days the intense struggle raged. the number of a thousand? Could "Mussolini knows that there is All the armoured divisiens, or there have been an objective of nothing provocative in our atwhat was left of them, together greater military importance or of titude and we never closed, and do with great masses of German in- greater military significance for not now close, the door to negotia-

#### INTERNMENT, IN EIRE

in their attacks. We got the army DUBLIN June 5 (Reuter) - Poany losses they inflicted upon us. lice activity throughout Eire in Very large formations of German the past three days resulted in the planes-and we know this is a very arrest and internment of 390 susbrave race—have turned on several | pects

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# ADMIRALTY AS PLAINTIFFS Sequel To Accident In

# New Territories INJURED OFFICER HAD TO BE INVALIDED

Sequel to a motor accident in the New Territories on July 24, 1938, which resulted in such serious injuries to Commissioned Engineer W. A. Jones of the Royal Navy that he had to be invalided back to England, was an action brought in the Supreme Court yesterday before His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholi MacGregor, by the Commissioner for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom, claiming £1.208.-4s. 7d. from the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.

The claim was for pension payable to the injured officer, his passage home, pay and allowances and medical expenses.

It was alleged that the accident was caused through the negligence of the defendants in falling to equip the car with proper

on July 22 because he did not know

Witness admitted that in

statement made to Mr. Armstrong

on March 13 he gave his reason for

that it was to prevent punctures

He never mentioned skidding be-

DANGEROUS IF WET

He considered that one smooth

tyre in front and one on the other

side at the rear as not very dan

gerous," but if both rear tyres were

was dangerous"if he were driving

CONDUIT ROAD

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The torrential rains which ac-

a bit to go" before overflowing.

Sequel To

Accident

Mr. F. Zimmern acted for the

on a wet road. In answer to Mr

cause he was not asked.

smooth it was dangerous.

asking for the tyres to be changed

The Admiralty was represented witness said that in his opinion the by the Hon! Mr. Leo D'Almada e accident was due to the two rear Castro, Jnr., who was instructed by tyres being smooth and to the road Mr. E. Davidson. Defendants were being wet at the point, represented by Mr. Eldon Potter, Cross-examined by Mr. Potter, K.C., instructed by Mr. H. J. Lo Ping said he did not ask for all three old tyres to be changed

Defendants, said Mr. D'Almada, he would be required to go to Fanwere owners of a garage which ling." He said that when he asked hired out motor cars on hourly, for two new tyres on the morning daily and monthly terms. In this of the accident, it was to prevent case, the car, a 1934 model Austin punctures and skidding. commonly known as a drop-head coupe, had been hired on a monthly basis on June 2, 1938 by Lt.-Cmdr. Baines.

At the time of the accident, the car was proceeding to Fanling and was driven by one Lo Ping, an employee of the defendant firms The road during the early part of the journey was dry, but was found to be wet after the second hill had been taken....

The accident occurred at a spot exactly opposite the 121 milestone. The driver was taking a slight left-hand bend, at a speed between 15 and 20 miles hour when he found the rear wheels skidding to the right. attempted to correct the skid by swerving to the right, but the then skidded to the left and hit the side of the hill with such violence that the occupants, which Included the injured officer, were Lovely of his opinion. thrown out.

VIOLENT SKID

That the skid was a violent one was perfectly obvious, said Mr. D'Almada, from the report of the police which stated that the two rear tyres were smooth. In one of the tyres, in fact, canvas could be

Counsel submitted that the terms for hiring cars from the garage were that it was the defendants' duty to maintain and ser- companied the thunderstorm on vice the car at their expense, al- Tuesday morning caused several though it was also the duty of the landslides, the collapse in Conduit yesterday by the Chief Justice, Sir ly, the East Lama Channel minehirer to take it to the garage Road claiming the life of a 2-year- Atholi MacGregor, in the Supreme field. Sergt, May prosecuted. whenever repairs were necessary, old boy. It was his case, said Mr. D'Almada. At the time of the accident four Barber. that the two rear tyres were us persons were in the hut all were December 1 last for dissolution of bad as they could possibly be and buried alive. The Fire Brigade her marriage with Norman Charles that they had caused the accident, arrived shortly after and extricat- Barber

ed alive Lai Li his wife Lai Ti, BREACH OF DUTY The case for the plaintiffs was and the first son Lai Kan. The based on breach of duty, neglig- second son, Lai Sun was dead ence and nulsance. It was the when his body was recovered. duty of defendants to supply a car | Several landslides occurred fit to carry passengers safely. The the Customs Pass Road and the fact that the car was liable to be authorities have closed a portion uncontrollable made it a unisance of the road. Traffic is also pro-Defendants, submitted counsel, had hibited to proceed beyond Port been negligent in allowing the bad Shelter Road which is about three tyres to be used. miles from Clear Water Bay.

cite various authorities in support are overflowing but the Jubilee of his case, after which the driver. Reservoir, Shing Mun has "quite Lo Ping, gave evidence, "

He said he had been a licenced motor car driver for 11 or 12 years: He had driven the car in question ever since it was hired out to Lt. Cmdr. Baines, and was well acquainted with it. He had driven It several times to Fanling TYRES CHANGED

Cmdr. Baines had the car, two on February 13, last was success- his assistant and caught hold of tyres had been changed and other fully brought in the Summary the first defendant and blew the repairs effected. Two new tyres Court yesterday, before Mr. Justice police whistle. Passers-by came to had been fitted to the rear right E. H. Williams, by Dr. Lam Shiu- their assistance and arrested the

On July 22, the new rear wheel Building. was put in front because the fixed | The claim was for \$60 as cost of | Further evidence was taken after front lack of the car had been re- repairs to plaintiff's car and \$35 while hearing was adjourned to moved for repair and he wanted as travelling expenses incurred Friday morning. good tyres in front to safeguard while the car was under repair. against possible punctures. " The defence denied negligence or,

The two rear tyres, said witness, alternatively, that plaintiff was were very old and had worn very guilty of contributory negligence.

On July 23 he received instruc- plaintiff, while defendant was retions from Lt. Lovely that the car presented by Mr. D. B. Evans. day. After driving the officer next collision between a plaintiff's and morning to the Naval Dockyard, defendant's cars was brought he took the vehicle back to the about through the negligence of garage and asked that the two defendant's chauffeur. It was al- alleged defendant rode out of the rear wheels, which he considered leged that the chauffeur failed to slaughter house in Ma, Tau Wel jabi. to be in very poor condition, to be sound the horn and also failed Road on a bicycle and struck on

Chu, who had charge of such mat- Street into Pokfulum Road ters. Ah Chu examined the tyres After evidence was given. His and told him the tyres could not Lordship gave judgment for plain- fault, six weeks hard labour be changed until another 1,000 tiff, granting the full sum claimmiles had been driven.

ASKED-FOR CHANGE After describing the accident, repair to the car.

# ROUND THE POLICE COURTS

## AT CENTRAL

BANISHEE GAOLED

Pleading guilty to a breach of a radio apparatus without the Deportation Ordinance Tang Ngau, unemployed, was sentenced to six months' hard labour by Mr. R. Edwards. CAUTIONED

Chow Sow-ying, 27, who appeared on remand before Mr. R. Edwards on a charge of breach of the Colony Defence Regulations (Postal Communication Regulations), was cautioned. Four letters, found in his possession, dealt only with family affairs.

#### THEFT OF WATCH

Pleading guilty before Mr. R. Edwards to the their of a watch from a woman, Lau Yin-sung, 24. unemployed, was remanded for 48 hours for medical examination for

Det.-Sergt, T. Cashman said that the complainant was walking Queen's Road on Monday when the defendant approached and snatched her wrist watch.

#### INDIAN CHARGED

Bahader "Singh, 26, private watchman, appeared before Mr. R. dant pleaded not guilty to both ed dentist or an exempted person. charges and was remanded till this and had no right to advertise his heard. Ball was fixed at \$750.

#### STOLE FROM GIRL

Sentence of seven months' hard-Mr. Potter: Why didn't you tell labour was imposed on Yung Chithe garage that two smooth tyres wo, unemployed, when he pleaded at the back was dangerous?—1 guilty before Mr. R. Edwards to the don't remember if I said that or theft of \$20 from a girl in Pokfulum Road. Yung was also recom-Witness said he considered the mended for banishment, car, with two smooth rear wheels.

#### CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Two women were summoned before Mr. H. G. Sheldon at the Potter, he said he did not tell Lt. Central Court yesterday charged with failing to report to the S.C.A. Hearing will be continued today the change of address while being guardians of registered wards.

> Tsui Sung. 37, residing at No. 5. Wo On Lane, was fined \$5, while Wong Tai-hel, an aged widow, was cautioned.

Inspector H. W. Fraser, who prosecuted, said that in both cases, the wards were very well treated.

## DECREE ABSOLUTE

Court to Mrs. Gwendolyn Essie who petitioned on

# ATTEMPTED ROBBERY

of the Cathay cabaret were com- starboard lights on the early plainants yesterday in a case in morning of May 28. The first dewhich .. two unemployed seamen fendant was fined \$15, in default, were charged with assault with fifteen days, having had a previous intent to rob.

The defendants were Chu Yungsang. 31. and Pau Yung-of, who pleaded not guilty before Mr. R. imprisonment. Mr. D'Almada then proceeded to . All the reservoirs of the Island Edwards at the Central Court yes-

> Detective-Inspector J. O'Dono. van was in charge of the prosecu-

It was alleged that as Tsu! Lingsam and Yim Lin-tung, manager and assistant manager of the Cathay Cabaret. came out of Entertainment Building three persons A claim arising out of a motor approached them and attempted to car accident at the junction of snatch the bag which Tsul was During the few weeks that Lt. Third Street and Poktulum Road carrying. Tsui handed the bag to wheel and the front right wheel. chun against Ng Wah, of Pedder second defendant, while a third person made good his escape. "

#### AT KOWLOON INDECENT ASSAULT

Kwan Sheung, slaughterer, of pork stall No. 58, Tsim Sha Tsul for Friday afternoon. Market, pleaded guilty before Mr would be taken to Fanling next. Mr. Zimmern stated that the E. Himsworth at Kowloon Court yesterday to a charge of indecent assault on a woman.

At 8.30 p.m. on June 4, it was to stop and ascertain whether he the chest a widow, named Lam Witness said he spoke to one Ah | could safely proceed from Third Pik-yu. 34, who was walking along the road.

Defendant was fined \$25, in de-

ed for travelling expenses and \$50 offences of a similar natura had of the sum claimed for cost of become very frequent in slaughter house and its vicinity,

but the women employees wer usually afraid to report. RADIO OFFENCES

Charged with the possession of licence at No. 387. Nathan Road. second floor, on May 6, D. D. Aroozoo was fined \$15 when he was summoned before Mr. Q. A A Mactadyen, Chan Oi-lam, of No. 278. Ma Tau Wei Road, ground floor, was fined \$30 on a summons for a similar offence.

#### STATION INCIDENT

Charged with assault on a young woman, Lo Lai-tze, at the Shatin Railway Station on April 14, two other young women, Tsang Kwok. wing, of Sha Ha Wel village, and Chung Ping-tong, of No. 380, Hennessy Road, appeared on a summons before Mr. Q. A. A. Mactad-

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for complainant. It was alleged that defendants threw stones at Lo Laitze, and first defendant prodded her in the back with her elbow. Second defendant pleaded guilty

to the offence. Hearing was fixed for the afternoon of June 14.

# DENTISTRY CASE

Summoned for having advertised Edwards at the Central Court yes- | himself as a dentist who was to terday charged with alleged inde- open practice at No. 15, Hankow cent assault on a young woman, Road, on May 2, Mr. Hanns, of No. Chan Kam-nui, and common as- 15, Hankow Road, appeared before sault on Chan Shing, hawker, in Mr. E. Himsworth. It was alleged Glenealy on Tuesday. The defen- that defendant was not a registerafternoon when the case will be practice. Hearing of the case was fixed for 10.45 a.m. on Saturday when Mr. F. G. Nigel will appear for defendant.

# MARINE COURT

JUNK MASTERS MINED

Three Hongkong junk masters appeared before Comdr. G. F. Hole, Harbour Master, at the Marine Court. yesterday morning on charge of anchoring their junks in a prohibited area—the Tathong Channel. S. I. Headridge prose-

The defendants, Lai Yau Fuk, 42, of junk No. 4247HC Kwok Kan, 51, of junk No. 1820HL, and Lai Hot Yau, 41, of Junk No. 4494HA. were each fined \$20, in default, three weeks' hard labour.

Masters of Hongkong registered junks, Ho Kam Tai, 27 of junk No. 1879HP. Chan Cheung Yan, 29, of No. 3665HA, and Chan Tak Hi of No. 4486HA were similarly fined for having anchored their fishing A decree absolute was granted junks in a prohibited area name-

## NO STARBOARD LIGHTS

Chung Shu-sing, coxswain of motorboat Walla-Walla I, and Leung Fook, coxswain of motorboat Australia, were charged before Comdr. Hole with fail-The manager and his assistant ing to exhibit their green conviction for a similar offence. Second defendant was fined \$16" with the alternative of ten days'

# Indian P.C. On Serious Charge

#### ALLEGED BREACH OF DEFENCE REGULATIONS

Police Constable Chanan Singh. 24 stationed at the Central Police Station, who was charged with the unlawful possession of a seditious publication and breach of the Defence Regulations, appeared on remand before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday.

Hearing of the case was fixed

The defendant was alleged to have in his possession at Connaught Road Central, 86 copies of a seditious publication, or a pamphlet headed Revolutionary Proclamation No. 1, in Urdu and Pun-

He was also alleged to have in his possession 86 copies of a pamphlet with a view to making or facilitating the making, of an endeavour to influence public. It was said in Court that opinion in a manner likely to be prejudicial to the defence of the

Bail was fixed at \$10,000.

# FINE JEWELLERY

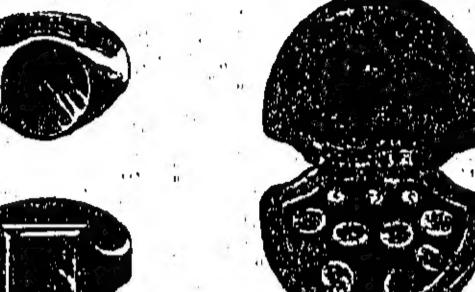


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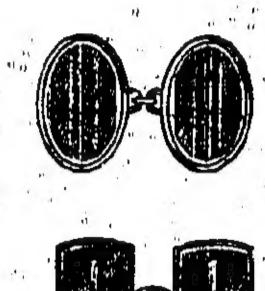
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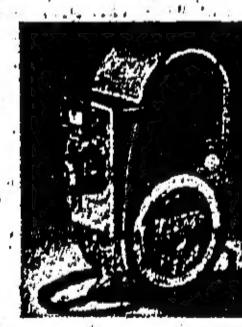
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has by virtue of the provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897 made an other limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to 30th June, 1940,

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date. DEACONS,

Solicitors for the Executor. 1. Des Voeux Road Central. Hong Kong.

#### CHINA & JAPAN HOMEWARD CONFERENCE.

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NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

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H. V. WILKINSON, Chairman,

CHINA & JAPAN HOMEWARD CONFERENCE. GULF OF ADEN AND RED SEA PORTS CONFERENCE. Hong Kong, 4th June, 1940.

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By Order of the Board Directors. "

A. W. BROWN, Manager. Hong Kong, 23rd May, 1940.

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> JOHN D. HUMPHREY & SON.

General Managers. Hong Kong, 23rd May, 1940.

# Because Of Some Orange Peel!

had somewhat serious consequences for two shop coolies yesterday.

Li Yiu, 23, and Tsang Wan, 32, were carrying an earthenware containing " corrosive acid Queen's Road West, near the "Taiping Theatre, when one of them stepped on the bit of orange peel and fell, bringing his companion down at the same time, and the jar on top of them,

The acid spilt on the men's legs and hands, causing nasty burns, They were sent to the Queer, Mary Hospital, where their condition last night was described as fair.

#### FORGED NOTES CHARGE

Committal proceedings commensed before Mr. E. Himsworth at Kowloon Court yesterday against Tsang Fung, 45 and Lau Fung, 38 charged with possession of forged of China notes.

Proceedings in summary were commenced also against two juveniles on a similar charge while three other defendants, one charged, the prosecution "offering no evidence against them.

Defendants, with the three men discharged, were arrested in Prince PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL Edward Road at the Tam Kung Road bus stop where they were at noon on May 19.

forged banknotes.

possession of twelve forged \$10 notes second defendant with possession of one forged one dollar note, third defendant with possession of more than \$2,000 in forged notes and fourth defendant with possession of one forged one dollar note.

Hearing of the case will be con-

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# ITALY'S CHOICE

WITH ITALY now standing on the brink of becoming an active participant in the European conflict, the questions which most observers of the political situation are asking is: What does Signor Mussolini hope to gain by becoming a partner in the German" mission of violence? What, indeed, will remote possibility of a Nazi triumph? The strong feeling of the great majority of the Italian people who are Italy entering the war, led by His Holiness the Pope and King Emanuel, is sufficient answer to these questions and, even at this late hour, Il Duce will be well advised to count the cost of an action which will bring him into conflict with those a forces of right and justice Statement of Accounts for the which are fighting to preserve civilisation "from the collapse with which it threatened-if-the-German will prevails. Unfortunately, human nature being what, it is today, the Italian Dictator appears to have been seduced by dreams of becoming a partner in the world conquest which Herr Hitler has planned and in sharing the spoils of this barbarous plan. To Signor Mussolini, in spite street: of the bitter denunciations which have been levelled against Nazi methods of aggression and oppression of their victims. Germany and Italy represent the two nations in the world today, who, to quote his own words, "will crack the whip of mastery over the necks of the outworn nations now ripe for enslavement"!

she was the victim of some superior nation who selected her as a prey for their ambitions. It was Britain and France who eventually helped her to throw off these shackles of aggression and enabled her to reach and maintain a standard of culture and civilisation which brought her to the forefront of world powers. And now, it is against these very nations, with whom fought shoulder to shoulder twenty-five years ago to resist German plans of world domination, that Il Duce is prepared to throw the strength of his fighting forces in the hope of being able to share out ill-gotten gains by disregarding the very elemen- war on the German side tary laws of God and man: would in reality be regarded Such a decision can best be as one of the tragedies of the described as patriotism and present conflict. No one can loyalty to his people and his well deny that the Allies have country being blinded by his shown their desire to preserve vanity and the ambitions amicable relations with Italy which "he has imbued from and to help her to solve the his German tutor. Every difficulties which confronted Italian probably realises only her, as a result of their contoo well that, even in 'the flict with Germany, by peaceevent of a success for the ful means. Signor Mussolini, Italian and German arms in however, has chosen to spurn the present conflict, any these friendly advances and share of the spoils which the long and close friendship Italy will obtain will only be which has existed between followed by two Chinese detectives held under servile tenure. If the Allied peoples, particularon the other hand, Il Duce ly the British, and the Ita-The police had received informa. had shown his willingness to lians is now on the verge of tion of the activities of defendants, save Europe from ruthless; being disrupted by the "selfish and they were brought to Kowloon aggression and to play her desires of one man who is City Police Station where a search part in the reorganisation of preparing to rush headlong be applied to all Powers, the paper action against Japan. in the luggage they were carrying the order of life on that con- into a combat, the conresulted in the discovery of the tinent after the present war. sequences of which will fall instead of being forced to heavily on the people whom action." First defendant is charged with hold her gains at the pleasure he pretends to serve and and dictation of her Nazi whose security he has proneighbour, she would have mised to safeguard. If this is been able to take pride of the choice which Signor place among those who are Mussolini is going to make it seeking to put an end to will be a distressing one, but anarchy, barbarity and dis- it will have no effect on the

THE EARLY history of Italy

is interesting. For centuries

# ENEMY ALIENS TO LEAVE H.K. BY JUNE 11

All enemy aliens must quit the Colony before June 11. Orders were issued by Police Department to the people concerned yesterday morning.

No person affected by the order will be permitted to go to either Canton or Macso.

The order applies to all German and Austrian subjects residing in the Colony, including refugees from the Nazi regime.

# Union Church Wedding

A quiet wedding was solemnised at the Kowloon Union Church yesterday, when Miss Mary & Chalmers became the bride of Mr. John Bruce of the China Light and Power Company.

Rev. Frank Short, officiated. Dressed in a beautiful creation Italy's pride of position in of pink material, the bride was PEAK TRAMWAYS CO., world affairs be even in the given away by Mr. C. Crofton, while Mr. Gilles acted as the best man, with Mrs. Joffe as matron

> Both the bride and groom come from Edinburgh, Scotland, and a reception was held after the wedding at "the" China Light and Power Club in King's Park, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce will spend their honeymoon at Repulse Bay.

# Weddings

Three Chinese couples were married yesterday at the Supreme Court Registry before Mr. J. Reynolds. Deputy Registrar. The par-

ties were:-Mr. Chiu Yat-sun civil' servant Chinese Central Government residing at No. 128 Nanchang Street and Miss Lo Mee-chun, of No. 677 Shanghai Street;

Mr. Ng Tak-choy, merchant," of No. 12 Wing Kut Street, and Miss Pun How-chie, of No. 8 Western

Mr. Low Sun, merchant, of No 440 Hennessy Road, and Miss Chan

ANNOUNCEMENTS . The following forthcoming mar-

riages are announced:-Flying Officer Ivor Benison Difford, of the Royal Air Force, and Miss Ludmilla Glover, of No. 130 Argyle Street;

Corporal George Bedford Royal Corps of Signals, and Miss Hilda severence from the chief source of Mabel Humphrey nurse, of Block Supply, and the problem of con-Married Quarters, Lyemun;

Mr. Cheung Hok-chau signal- grave. man, H. M. S. Cornflower, and Miss Wong Kam-yin, of No. 8 Arbuthnot Road second floor.

#### PIRATES SHOOT YOUNG GIRL

Pirates, attacking a junk south of Cheung Chau Island about a.m. yesterday morning, shot a young girl in the chest.

The pirates approached the junk in a small boat and opened fire. Brandishing revolvers, three men then boarded the junk and stole \$30 in Hongkong banknotes.

No arrests had been made up to last night. It was not possible to ascertain the condition of the wounded girl. 🤻

purpose for which the Allies such hopes. FROM THE ALLIED point have taken up arms—that of of view, Italian entry into the defeating Nazi Germany.

# CORRESPONDENCE

GIFT FUND [The Editor, Hongkong Daily

Sir,—I shall be grateful it you will kindly publish in your news columns the amounts collected on Empire Day by the Hoffgkong Girl Guides towards the Empire Gift Fund of an Air Ambulance Service and a motor life boat to the

The Hongkong Guides are deeply grateful for the generous response given to the Fund by so many of their well wishers in the

Donations .....\$ 484.50 Jumble Sale and donations 563.50 Donations from the Majes-

tic and King's Theatre Cinema performances ... Donations from the Prince's Theatre Cinema performances .....

'Old" Guides ...... Present Guiders, Guides & Brownies .....

Less \$10 for expenses for printing, and :postage

A generous donation of velopes, specially designed to hold

the Guides and Brownles tributions. was received Messrs. Wing Fat Printing Ltd., 149 Wing Lok Street. Yours faithfully,

> MARY KING, " 8 Colony Commissioner.

#### SCANDINAVIAN MISSIONARIES: AN APPEAL

The Editors Hongkong Daily Press!

Dear Sir,-For some years Hong- force: kong has given hospitality to a number of Scandinavian missionaries, who, in a quiet and independent way, have carried on": magnificent piece of work at Tao Fong Shan near Shatin.

To this institute have come, in search of truth, numbers of Buddhist and Taoist monks from narts of China, the borders of dents spend months and sometimes years, studying Christianity Yuen-yue, of No. 36 Hee Wong under the able guidance of Dr. Reichelt and his colleagues, and Session-Prospects Of Invasion. many have returned to China to carry Christian inspiration back to the Buddhist centres which they came.

A large portion of the funds for this work came from Norway and Denmark, The mission is now faced with almost complete

Our sympathy with Norway in her present suffering draws us very close to our Scandinavian friends at Shatin, and notwithstanding the many claims on our resources at this time, we'venture to make Treasurer, Tao Fong Shan Emera very earnest appeal on behalf of Tad Fong Shan

A. for a donation to meet the immediate emergency

B. for a monthly subscription to ensure that the work may have regular support all through this difficult time. Donations and/or subscriptions

may be sent to:-

# THE PREMIER'S SPEECH:

## NEWSPAPER DISPLAYS GIRL GUIDES' EMPIRE IN HONGKONG

# Sensationalism Run Mad (CONTRIBUTED)

Mr. Winston Churchill, the British Prime Minister, made a remarkably frank and honest speech before the House of Commons on Tuesday afternoon. While he did not fail to emphasise the gravity of the position in the European conflict, he paid a eloquent tribute to the magnificent fighting qualities of the Allied forces during the strenuous period which they went through after the King of the Belgians had capitulated to the Germans."

the heroism and gallantry display- speech was his tribute to the ed by the Royal Air Force and the British airmen and his emphasis: Royal Navy for the part they play- that they had now gained comed in making it possible to evacu- plete mastery of the air; that the 319.00 ate 350.000 men from the pre- fighting qualities of these young 964.00 found themselves in their with- assisting were far superior to the drawal to Dunkirk and the com- Germans; and the resolve of the \$2,940.00 plete failure of the Nazi hordes British people to fight on unto prevent this splendid manocuvre flinchingly, with their war efforts. 10.00 carried out under the most difficult doubly reorganised and with the

> And yet, to judge by the posters, headlines and sub-heads used by an evening newspaper in thi Colony, Mr. Churchill's, words were given the most "gloomy aspect possible. Not a single of his reassuring remarks to the House Commons were given any prominence and even the smallest o the subheads used to break up his speech were chosen with what appears to have been determination to make the position look worst. Here are some of points which this British newspaper in a British colony thought worth emphasising with such

Posters: Enormous British Losses Of Material

Headlines: 🤚 Premler's 🖰 Words To House-Enormous Loss Of Materials In Flanders-What Happened In France And Belgium Was Military Disaster-Invasion

Sub-heads: Our Losses Exceed Tibet and Mongolia. These stu- 30,000 Enormous Losses In Material—Armaments Expansion Lags -Colossal Military Disaster-Musi Expect New Blow-Suggest Secre

What does the editor of this paper think would be the effect of these headlines on the people of this Colony? Why has he made no effort at all in planning his display to mix the bad with the

stop. Help is urgently needed, to keep up that spirit of will and happening in the world today.

In the course of his speech, Mr. determination to win at all costs. Churchill paid unstinted praise to The feature of Mr. Churchill's carlous position in which they airmen and the troops they were whole will of the people to end the Nazi tyranny of Europe.

> The "very frankness of Mr. Churchill's speech is convincing in itself that the position is far from the desperate outlook which this newspaper wishes to imply and it. will be an unfortunate day for journalism in this colony if the authorities have to step in and prevent any misleading of the lay mind by making a god of sensa-

The editor of the paper in question might, with the good senseand vision which all journalists are expected to possess, have created quite a different impression-and it would have notbeen any diversion from the real truth-if he had followed, say, thefollowing lines for his poster and Grave | headline displays:

Poster: Premier On Masterly Withdrawal 🖖

Headline: Sterling Tribute To-Work Of R.A.F. By Prime Minister -Flow Of Ammunition To Troops: Leaps Forward—Brilliant Manoeuvre By B.E.F.

Sub-heads: Heavier Losses On. Enemy-Gratitude To Young Men -Capital: & Labour Join: Hands-Reassuring Thought - Assurances Of Sea Power-We Shall Never Surrender.

What a contrast this would be to the sensationalism run mad which appears to be the policy of this evening newspaper. The Bri- 9 tish public in this Colony, however, will know in future how to Mr. Churchill had so much more judge the news served out to them. tinuing the work is exceedingly to say, which, if properly display- and, with their ability to dised, would have made happier criminate between what is real We feel that this work which reading, because of the ring of news and what is not, they will reaches out to the religious heart sincerity with which his words soon know where to avoid going of China, must not be allowed to were delivered and which sought to get a true statement of what is

> Rev. F. Short, (Challenge Book Shop) Ice House Street; Hon. gency Fund: or paid direct into the account under that name the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank.

"RONALD HONGKONG, A. J. FISHER, CHENGTING T. WANG, FV C. WOO, FRANK SHORT,

M. M. THOMAS.

#### CIFTS FOR SINO TROOPS

SHANGHAI, June 5 (Reuter)-Under instructions from Madame Chiang Kai-shek large quantities of gifts are being sent to the Honan-Hupeh area to be distributed among the Chinese fighting forces which recently scored a victory over the Japanese there. states the Shunpao.

# CHINESE PRESS REACTION TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S RAW MATERIALS BAN

Chinese newspapers in Hongkong today gave great prominence to the report that President Roosevelt has decided to ban the export of those materials which are indispensable to the United States' national defence in connection with the expansion of armament, and in commenting on it were unanimous that the embargo will be a "death blow" to Japan although it is to be applied equally to all Powers.

The Ta Kung Pao believed that the embargo, though to some extent intended to discourage Italy from joining the European War, is simed particularly at weakening Japan.

The journal drew a parallel between President Roosevelt's decision and the announcement of the abrogation of the Japanese-American Treaty of Commerce and Navigation last year in that they both did not go through any legislative process.

says, it will be difficult for Japan | The Sing Tao Jin Pao says that from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

ALL HOPES FOILED

Recalling that Japan has ap-America in the hope of obtaining France and the Netherlands in materials from the United States indirectly through them the paper

that other countries with interests world.

Inasmuch as the embargo is to in the Far East will take similar

to make any retaliatory diplomatic the embargo will be a serious blow i to Japan's designs to dispose of the "China Incident" without out- hours from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. and side interference and to grab proached countries in Latin economic interests of Britain, fore noon. the Far East

#### SUMMER HOURS IN" CHUNGKING

CHUNGKING, June 5 (Reuter)-Beginning yesterday, Chinese Government offices are observing summer hours and are remaining open from 8.30 a.m. to 11 a.m. and

Due to air raids around noon the banks have changed their office are not opening for business be-

Since several dug-outs caved in as a result of the recent bombings. The paper expresses the belief General'ssimo Chiang Kal-shek says that the embargo will foil that the U.S. embargo will great has instructed the air defence ly strengthen the British and authorities to carefully inspect all The lournal expresses the hope French stand in this part of the dug-outs to see if they are properly constructed,

# FAILURE OF HITLER'S MASS MIGHT TO CARRY WILL

# Britain Will Face The Future With Renewed Confidence

# GLOWING TRIBUTE TO AIR FORCE

LONDON, June 5" (Reuter)—The candour of Mr. Winston Churchill's statement and his references to the work of the Royal Air Force form the principal subject of the press comment this morning.

The Times says that the "speech was that of a leader behind whom a resolute nation may face the heavy blows of fortune unafraid. Proud peroration breathes the spirit of Shakespeare's England."

. The Daily Telegraph says that the "resolve to see things as they. are and conceal nothing of their sombre menace from the country was the first element in the Prime Minister's survey. His absolute candour made a marked contrast with the German bulletin."

The Daily Herald states that? "Mr. Churchill did not flinch. His speech told us the sombre truth: he employed no soothing catchphrase, and he did not pretend that the latest Allied setback is in fact an artful booby-trap laid for Hitler He sets the nation an example in realism and resolve" WE WANT TRUTH

The Daily Mail says that Mr. Churchill "correctly gauges the spirit and backbone of his countrymen. We want the truth, good or bad, and, here it is

"The heroic achievements of our fighting men equally with our own grim situation inspire the British people to fight on."

MORE CONFIDENCE

Writing on the subject the News Chronicle says that "the British people will face the future more confidently as the result or the Premier's strong, realistic state ment,"

The Daily Express: "Mr. Churchill does not conceal the facts about the military disaster but he also establishes the failure, for the first time, of Hitler's massed might to carry out its will."

ROYAL AIR FURCE -Referring to the work of the Royal Air Force the Times says that they have proved themselves masters of their adversaries in every branch of aerial combat, and kept off great masses of the German bombing fleet from the

in the air, for the fighter operates fighters.

measure.



HIS FRANKNESS ADMIRED.

far behind the enemy lines and targets on which any damage done the soldier sees only the bomber might have been terrible beyond overhead, and not much more.

Numerous bombers cannot mo-Only now that they are safely lest him because they had been home can the men on the ground "destroyed or prevented from pentappreciate their debt to the men trating the vigilant line of Eritish

DUNKIRK AREA

**OFFENSIVE** 

One of our bombers is missing.

All our aircraft returned

was observed.

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-An

# British Premier's Speech Hailed By U.S.

NEW YORK, June 5 (Reuter)-The newspapers here are enlogistic over Mr. Winston Churchill's realistic speech. The New York Times says: "It took moral heroism to tell the story that Mr. Churchill unfolded. The speech was as brave in its way, as the stand of the British Army on the blood-soaked shore of Dunkirk."

The New York Herald Tribune says: "Mr. Churchill's closing sentences will surely rank among the noblest utterances in the annals of English statesmanship. That the Nazi march will be defeated in France and never reach the shores of England is the prayer and hope of this people but if the the early morning in the Dunkirk formed. worse should happen who could area. Little enemy air activity The official figure for British air doubt the will and courage of the New World in the longer fight to follow?"

The paper adds: "The epic the night." victory of the R. A. F. in Dunkirk needed planes."

#### DUNKIRK PORT UNUSABLE

A French Admiralty communique announces the last land and naval | forces defending Dunkirk were reembarked during Tuesday night. The port has been rendered unusable. The communique adds that, throughout the operations at Dunkirk, the French Navy lost seven destroyers and a supply ship, states Reuter.

MOST OF CREWS SAVED

Most of the crews were saved. and merchantships of "various while other units east of the river sizes, with 200 smaller boats, as are endeavouring to cut the Japwell as numerous formations of anese rear. the naval air arm, took part in the Dunkirk operation.

some of them have already put to presented immense difficulties for sea again.

embarcation took place in good for their manoeuvres on this side order. It stated that Admiral of the stream, where the Chinese Abrial was the last to leave and are in a more advantageous post- proceeding in the areas that have he left port at 7 a.m. today.

#### The air raid warning was sounded last night in Lake Constance.

The Swiss news agency declares that foreign planes had violated Swiss neutrality and dropped six bombs on Thurgau... No casualties were caused but a road and some houses were damaged. An inquiry is proceeding to establish the nationality of the aeroplanes.

THURGAU BOMBED

BERNE. June 5 (Reuter)-

# What Berlin Claims - And The Facts

BERLIN, June 5 (Reuter)-Lumping together the surrender of the Belgian and Dutch armies with the French and British troops captured, a survey of the Flanders Campaign' issued by Hitler's headquarters claim that prisoners taken total over 1,200,000, to which must be added the dead whose numbers There is a demand for prompt recannot yet be estimated.

The destruction or capture is claimed of the complete equipment of from 75 to 80 Divisions.

The survey declares that between May 10 and June 3, the German air force shot down 1,841 enemy 'planes while 699 were brought down by anti-aircraft fire and 1,600 to 41,700 destroyed on

British sea losses are stated to be five cruisers, 13 destroyers, five submarines, one auxiliary cruiser. 10 other warships and 67 merchantmen and transports sunk, and 10 cruisers, 24 destroyers, three torpedoboats 22 other wartransports severely damaged.

## MANY LOSSES

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter) - Competent quarters in London point out that British losses of menwere, as has been stated, in the neighbourhood of 30,000.

Regarding the alleged naval losses, it is pointed out that a full statement of naval losses was issued in last night's communique. which announced that six destroyers and 24 other naval craft out of 222 were lost at Dunkirk It is added that in accordance

Air Ministry communique says with "its usual practice the Ad-R.A.F. fighters maintained offen- miraly announces all losses as soon sive patrols through Monday and as the next of kin have been in-

losses since May 10 is 302 planes. Large forces of our heavy bom- This is the total number lost, as bers were in operation throughout announced periodically in Air Ministry communiques.

Aerodromes occupied by the Although the German claims to holds out high hopes for the enemy in north-west Germany have shot down 1,841 enemy planes success of the Allies given the and Holland were also bombed includes all Allied aircraft particopating in the operations, it may During Monday, night aircraft; be presumed that since the R. A. F. of the Coastal Command made was using the greatest number of further attacks on enemy petrol planes its losses would be greater stores in Belgium and Holland, than those of the other air forces involved.

# JAPANESE FORCES NOW FACING ANNIHILATION

FANCHENG. June 5 (Central)—The Japanese forces who crossed the Slang River between Icheng and Slangyang are facing the prospect of complete annihilation as Chinese troops have closed all crossings with terrific crossfire.

Strong Chinese units are mopping up the invaders marooned in the triangular tract between PROGRESS MADE IN Three hundred French warships Slangyang, Icheng and Nantan.

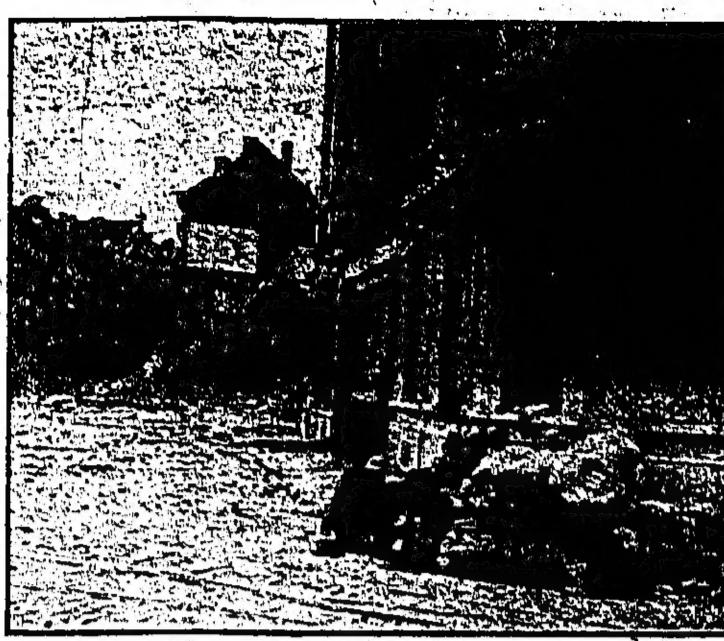
A military spokesman, explaining the situation, states that after Other than those mentioned as crossing Slang River, the Japan-

The communique says the final The Japanese found little room

PARIS, June 4 (Reuter)-The Norwegian Legation has issued a communique quoting a message from a correspondent of the Norsunk, others were damaged but ese found that the hilly terrain wegian Telegraphic Agency in Narvik stating that the Norwegian, them to continue their offensive. French and Polish troops were continuing their advance with the object of encircling the enemy. Mopping-up operations are now.

been taken.

## MACHINE-GUN POST



British soldiers manning a machine-gun post. Debris of a house wrecked by a Nazi bomb litters the street behind them.

# 906 CASUALTIES IN PARIS AIR RAID

PARIS. June 5 (Reuter)—It is officially announced that the casualties in Monday's air raid numbered 906, of whom "254 were killed.

One hundred and ninety five of the dead were civilians and 59 military, while of the wounded 545 were civilians and 107 military.

The official Havas Agency states! Other bombing operations were that it is now established that 25 carried out in the immediate re-German bombers were brought gion of the battle-field north of down during the raid on Paris the Somme.

Monday. ALLIED REPRISAL

Military objective in Munich The Air Ministry states that oil Frankfortmain and Ruhr were bombed by Allied war planes as a reprisal for the Paris raid on Monday, announces the official Havas Agency.

. There was renewed anti-aircraft fire round Paris on Tuesday mornling. The air-raid, alarms, however, were not sounded.

Paris remains calm but angry. prisals for Monday's attack"by the Germans.

FRENCH DENIAL

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-Categorically denying the claim of the German High Command that again raided other military ob 70 French planes were destroyed jective in Holland in the raid on Paris, the Paris radio in a German broadcast lastnight stated that four French planes were shot down and that ten were damaged on the ground.

The Paris radio added that besides the 17 German planes brought down, several were destroyed by British fighters who in- Major Deseversky, "that this withtercepted them on their way drawal was accomplished primarily tended that the English only

Frankfurt and Munich.

deposit storage tanks in western Germany were attacked by strong force of R.A.F. heavy bombers on Monday for the third

OIL TANKS AFIRE

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter) -

Direct hits were scored, causing an outbreak of fresh fires.

An Air Ministry bulletin says that "at least three big oil tanks were set on fire, when Coastal Command aircraft raided Ghent on Tuesday. Flames floodlit the countryside was seen by British alveraft flying at 10,000 feet. Other Coastal Command aircraft

#### PURSUIT PLANES

An article by Major" Deseversky in the "New York Times" contends that the British pursuit planes made the evacuation of Dunkirk possible.

"I confidently assert, continued

because of the British local superi-PARIS June 5 (Reuter) - An ority in the air. That may sound ships and 117 merchantmen and Air Ministry communique states astonishing. But it remains true that our squadrons on the night and incontrovertible to those who June 3 attacked with great suc- have had flying experience that cess various objectives of a mili- the British planes, like the Detary character" in Germany, flants, are masters of any pursuit notably in the neighbourhood of planes which Germany possesses.

"They actually have achieved All our aircraft returned to their the mastery of the air over the Channel."

# Admiralty Issues Message Of Congratulation

The Admiralty has issued a message of congratulation to all concerned in the successful evacuation of the B.E.F. and soldiers of the Ailied armies from the Dunkirk area.

The magnificent spirit of co-operation between the Navy, Army, Air Force and Merchant Navy alone brought the operation to a successful conclusion.

The ready willingness with which seamen from every walk of life came forward to assist their "brother seamen of the Royal Navy will not readily be forgotten, the message adds, says Reuter.

#### JAPANESE LOSE HEAVILY

SHIUKWAN, June 5 (Int't)-He attributed Japanese defeat to is not specific. low morale of their troops who His predecessors are Tsao Pingapparently saw service for the first sheng and Cheng Hai-tsou, all of

Japanese strategy was similar to breast stroke in swimming when they struck with equal strength on the two flanks, which were strongly counter-acted by the defenders, added General Yu.

and south Kwangsi are quiet.

PARIS, June 4 ((Reuter) A movcountry was issued today by Gen- Central authorities. eral Denis, the Belgian Minister of

## TERRORISTS BLAME

SHANGHAL June 5 (Int'l)-Ter-General Yu Han-mou in command rorist activities" are held "responof the Kwangtung war zone told sible for the resignation of Mr. press correspondents that the Jap- Hsuch Keng-tzu, police inspector anese suffered over 5,000 casualties of the French Concession. The in"the fighting in Tsungia county. official reason for his resignation

whom were murdered:

#### WU CHUNG-HSIN IN KUNMING ...

KUNMING, June 5 (Central)-General Wu Chung-hsin, Chair-The interview disclosed that man of the Mongolian and Tibetan Japanese troops in Hainan Island Affairs Commission, who in Februset fire on many houses, while the ary attended the enthronement of sectors in the West River. Swatow the 14th Dalai Lama at Lhasa as the National Government's special envoy, arrived back here from Rangoon by plane yesterday. After a few days stay here, he

ing appeal to Belgian soldiers to will proceed to Chungking to subfight on for the liberation of their mit a report on his mission to the

Gen. Wu arrived in the Tibetan National Defence. The appeal capital last January. After attendsays that all their energy, courage ing the enthronement ceremony, and will must be devoted to the he waited Lamaist temples in difobject of driving the odious inva- ferent parts of Tibet, receiving der from Belgian's national soil. tremendous ovations everywhere he went.

# ORGANISATION OF BRITAIN'S MAN-POWER

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five per cent being found unfit better, even up to six months.

for service of any kind. In another part of the same room there was a second medical examination going on. The men being examined here were volunteers, for despite the introduction pulsory service." of conscription, volunteering was going on apace and over 300,000 men had volunteered for service since the war began.

HUMANITARIAN CONDITIONS Mr. Ince gave an example the case of a young man who had been called up and who told the clerk of the Medical Board that his father was ill with pneumonia and that as the only other assistant in the grocery business which they owned was a young boy, it would be very hard

vice at the moment, young man a form to fill up and was eligible for a King's Commisasked him to take it to the Hard- sion if he was able to qualify by ship Committee who would be merit through the ranks. He able to tell him what to do about went through his training with it. If that Committee was satis- zest and eagerness like thousands fied that his immediate calling up of others who were doing the would make matters hard for same to help to rid the world of them, they would give him a Nazi tyranny.

were of excellent physique, only postponement until his father was

"The young man went away much relieved," continued Mr. Ince, "knowing that humanitarian conditions were still operative despite the introduction of com-

#### PROMOTION BY MERIT

"Mr. Ince" concluded his talk by describing the case of a young University graduate who had registered and had received his calling-up paper. The letter which he received after having passed his medical examination contained his enlistment notice calling him to the colours, a free railway warrant and a Postal Order for four shillings being advance a pay for out-of-pocket expenses on the journey. them if he was called up for ser-

A week later that young man The clerk of the Board gave the was a private in the army. He

# GLORIOUS PAGE MILITARY SCIENCE

LONDON, June 4 (Reuter)-The Swiss Press remains full of "admiration for the northern Allied

The Tribune says: "The Allied One editor opened it." defeat at no time and nowhere. took on the character of a rout, to how the paper was to be made and the way in which the evacua- up in case of a drastic change in tion camp at Dunkirk was success- Nazi, attitude towards Rome fully carried out will mark a There was also a ready-made glorious page in the annals of leading article furiously attacking military science.

"Germany prophesied the Waterloo of the democracies: this hope was not realised.

"In throwing back the Allies to the sea, the German army scored a first-class strategic success but she has not succeeded breaking her adversary's fighting power or cutting off his retreat. "The heroic" behaviour of small British detachment in

Calais citadel constitutes proudest answer to the insinuations of German propaganda which prethought of flight."

#### ANOTHER MURDER IN SHANGHAI

-Yet another murder case took place in Shanghai last night when Mr. Chang Chao-yun, principal of the San Chi Wireless School, Mahawk, Road, and a student, su named Chiang, were both killed by an unknown assailant.

The assailant broke into Chang's office and fired upon them. Chang was killed instantly, while Chiang was wounded in the abdomen and later succumbed. The assassin made good his escape.

unknown.

# Sealed ... By Goebbels

Marked "Not to be opened without special order." a sealed envelope from Goebbels, reached every editor in Germany before Hitler went to meet Mussolini on the Brenner, reports Reynolds News.

It contained detailed orders as

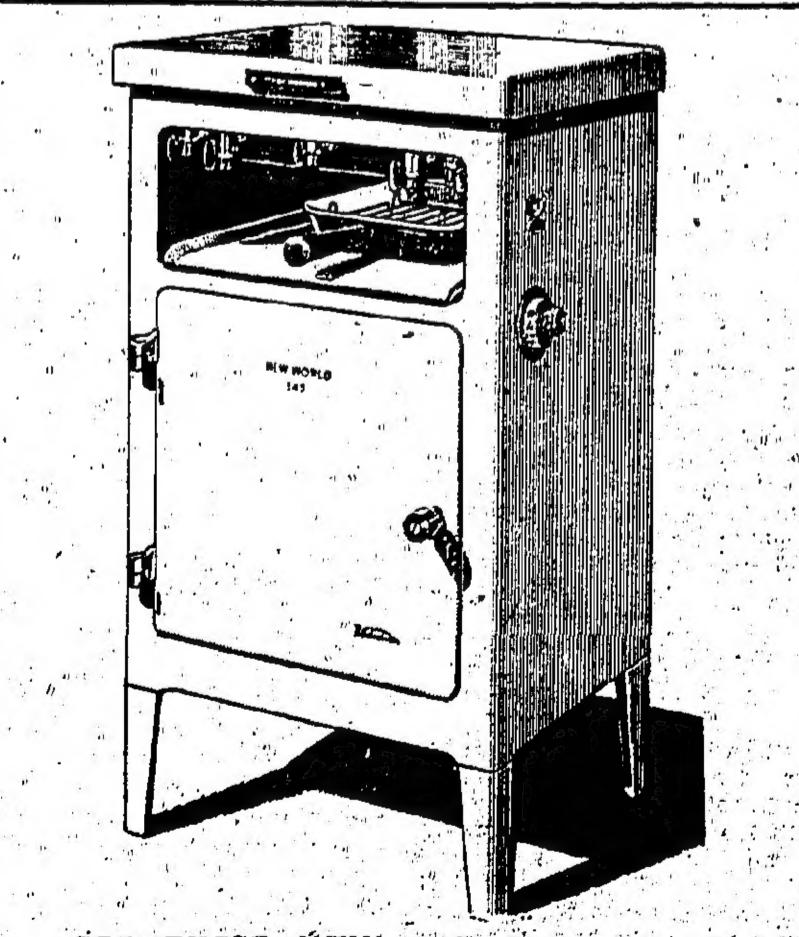
The letters have not been recalled. They are ready if Mussolini does not toe the Axis line.

WASHINGTON, June 5 (Reuter) -The Allied Purchasing Commissions announced that the Tennesse Power Company, formed at Memphis to manufacture smokeless powder for the Allied Governments, hoped to be operating before the end of the year. The Company will employ 5,000 workers.

'After" some\_days suspension the Italian Line has resumed advertisements of trans-Atlantic passenger sailings, says a Reuter report from New York.

LONDON, June 4 (Reuter)—A War Office communique states CHUNGKING, June 4 (Central) that on the night of May 31 and June 1, the British forces in the Bodoe area were withdrawn by sea having achieved their purpose of delaying the enemy advance until the Allied operations for the capture of Narvik had been com-

"LONDON. June 4 (Reuter)-Flight-Lieutenant R. V. Jeff, who was recently awarded the D.F.C., has been awarded a bar to his medal. His name appaers on the The motive for the killing is still awards list today. Flight-Lieut. Jeff was born in Kuala Lumpur



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# U.S. WITH THE ALLIES

"Has Britain understood the message of the Americas during the last few days?

"When the American Press has to publish reports of some new German initiative or success it \_does so rejuctantly. When, after many days of waiting, it gets some news of British moves uses its biggest type to convey to the American reader.

"In the same way as the Italian Press support Germany, the American Press fights this war on the side of the Allies.

"Has sufficient use been made of the sympathetic feelings of the shown that naval power still plays American editors and reading a very great role ... public? Some joint Allied effort should be made to serve those who "The battle in Flanders did not help us."-Depeche, Toulouse. become the destructive battle which was prophesied by the Ger-

#### TREATMENT OF OUT-PATIENTS

All patients who wish to be examined at, or admitted to the wards, of Government Hospitals with the exception of Government servants and their wives and children as defined in G.O. 124 and accident or emergency cases, must bring with them letters of introduction from their private medical practitioners unless they can satisfy the Almoner, on ar-"rival at the hospital, that they they are very much higher than acting jointly, will explain the the losses suffered during the ac- great war effort to the country by are not in a position to afford a private practitioner's consulta- tual offensive through Holland a series of meetings throughout

# PLAN FOR Contrast ITALO-GERMAN

AN OUTLINE OF THE ITALO-GERMAN PLAN, RECEIVED CONNECTIONS IN THROUGH PERSONS HAVING CLOSE ROME, SHOWS THAT IT IS BASED ON THE LIMITATION OF OFFENSIVE ACTION TO THE EAST.

First act would be creation of a mine barrage across the neck of the Adriatic Sea between Italy and Albania-with the Italian Navy sheltering inside, much as the German Floet has been using the Baltic

of heated arguments between

Mussolini and his Foreign Minis-

ter, in the course of which the

Duce openly threatened Cland

with replacement by a "more re-

liable" member of the Fascist

For the first time since Mus-

solini became Dictator he has

not lately been on very good

terms with his daughter Edda,

Ciano's clever, politically -

minded wife, and for many

years the Duce's close adviser

DUCE WARNED

In his struggle to keep Italy out

If that were to happen, Musso-

revolution, for Catholicism is still

stronger than Fascism throughout

DARING ATTACK

become was shown in yet another

director of the Ciano newspaper

broadcast by Ciovanni- Ansaldo.

Warning the people to prepare

for the war which "may come

from one day to the next." An-

saldo added with more pluck then

"Only if Italy is strong, very

strong, will she be among the

victors. Those who are van-

quished will be expropriated

and exploited in every way.

They will be reduced to the

state of Chinese coolies and

be forced to labour for others.

The victors will seek to appro-

priate the whole world, and no

manner of promises will com-

mit the victors to doing other-

A delinite, brazen challenge to

utter subjugation of Italy, politi-

The fact that it was publicity

JEWS DASH

INTO

PALESTINE

since the New Year 3:424.

A few shiploads of refugees

since the arrest of the Turkish

steamer Sakarya on February 13

when 2,200 Jewish passengers were

detained in camps no more have

run the gauntlet. Refugees who

get in are detained in camps, but

gradually released when their

FIFTH COLUMN

fifth-column, which is unfor-

tunately, present in the House of

Commons and the House of Lords.

the land."-Gringoire, Paris,

in France.

"Britain needs to purge her

bona-fides are fully established.

made was a sign that Ciano felt

Mussolini was this.

cally and militarily.

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-The European Jews are estimated to

Allehanda, a Stockholm newspa- have illegally landed in Pales-

per, points out that the battle in tine, hundreds of them swimming

Flanders reached an unexpected ashore from ships at dead of

conclusion which did not corres- night. Since the war began, re-

pond with the German claims of veals the Christian Science Moni-

the destruction of the Allied ar- | tor, more than 7,000 have arrived,

continues the paper, were carried have been reported to be still

out under fierce pressure by the dodging the authorities and hop-

superior German forces and a rain ing to make a dash for it. But

Stockholm Tidningen says. "The action will shortly be taken in

man military circles report that Government and the Opposition,

How critical the situation had

the country.

Telegrafo.

wisdom:

on foreign policy;

Behind the barrier troops and officially announced to be "suffersupplies could be shipped to the ing from an attack of influenza. But they also produced stories Balkan coast.

THE OBJECT

While a Fascist column advanced into Yugoslavia from Albania, another would strike southeastward from Trieste in the

The object would be to seize the coastline of Dalmatia and make the Adriatic a closed Italian lake. Simultaneously, a strong force would march eastward from Albania towards Salonika, Greek port on the Aegean Sea.

Contact would be established there with the Bulgarian and German High Commands, for joint action against any expeditionary of Nazi clutches. Ciano is not force thrown against Italy by the without a powerful ally.

#### NO CAMPAIGN

The Italian strategists who map- Duce received a message from the ped this plan of campaign were Vatican asserting that, if he led told to work on the assumptions Italy into war on Hitler's side, the that it would be supported by a Catholic Church would take German attack on Hungary and "strong and immediate" measures Yuguslavia, and that Italy's new of retaliation, Alpine fortresses would be strong enough to hold back any French meaning that Pope Plus would army which attempted to counter- leave the Holy City and establish attack through the Valley of the himself outside Italy. -Po. on Italy's north-west frontier.

. From the fact that the scheme lini would face the danger of open involves combined Italo-German action, the inference is that it is of Nazi origin.

If Mussolini himself did not think it worth close examination. he would scarcely have ordered the maps to be prepared, especially as his Army chiefs are opposed to military action in concert with Germany.

No large-scale operations in Africa are envisaged, because of the strong Ailied forces in-Tunisia, Egypt and Kenya. Italian garrisons in Libya and Abyssinia would be expected to remain on the defensive.

#### CLASH IN ROME

Question of the hour is whether or not Il Duce would be able to put this plan into operation.

He is experiencing some internal difficulties, apart from Army opposition to a big war.

Four-hundred members of the OVRA (Italian Secret Police) were recently sent into Sicily to destroy a strong anti-Fascist movement which had developed there since the Nazi invasion of Scandinavia.

But the real struggle going on warning that acceptance of Hitinside Italy is not between Mussolini and the masses. The chief protagonist is Count

Galeazzo Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister.

There are no visible signs or himself backed by a strong enough At the body of Italian public opinion to antagonism. height of the recent" anti-Allied come out into the open against newspaper campaign. Ciano was war with Hitler.

Naval Power

Tremendous troop transports.

The Allied embarkation has

The Social Demokraten says:

"It is by no means the

catastrophe which at was fear-

ed might have been after

King Leopold's capitalation.

spirit which has transformed

the retreat to something like a

The Berlin correspondent of the

"The English have shown a

of bombs by German aircraft.

man press and radic.

triumph."

and Belglum."

Stil Plays

Great Role

# Air Raid Methods

#### NAZI PLANES AT GREAT HEIGHT

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter) -Contrasting the German and Allied methods of conducting air raids a B.B.C. commentator last night said that in all raids, and in the bombing raid on Paris the German planes flew at a great height Generally they flew around 30,-

cou feet or more. They used this height for protection. It was instructive to compare this with the R.A.F.'s long series of raids on military objectives in Germany.

The use of heights, has long been understood and all defence systems take note or it. NIGHT RAIDS

The R.A.F. has not used height protection on its major bombing raids. It has used the night for raiding.

There is good authority for If planes came over at 30,000 stating that a few days ago the feet it was difficult to hear them. Even after they were heard it was difficult to pick them up except in sharp clear weather.

After they have been picked up the fighters have to reach them. The rates of climbing those This is interpreted in Rome as heights vary. The Hurricane, for instance takes only nine minutes to reach 20,000 feet and can get up to 34,000 feet and still be climb-

ing slowly. An enemy plane at 20,000 feet. however, may have travelled some 35 miles before contact can be made.

#### VERY HEAVY

The R.A.P. raids on Germany have been very heavy ones aimed only at military objectives. Our planes have relied on the night to protect them. They fly well within anti-aircraft fire and low enough for fighters to get up to them in a short time.

sence not only by the roar of their worst. engines but also by the flares which they have dropped in order to make sure of recognising their targets.

If we contrast the high-flying raids on Paris with the nightraids on "military objectives in Germany we see that the work the Allied bombers is more useful than that of the Germans.

## MILITARY EFFECT

The raids have a military effect and a real effect on the progress of the war.

The German method of scattering bombs is of no military signi-It sounded unmistakably like a ficance. Its effect on the Parisians is one that is far different ler's leadership would lead to the from what the Nazis expect.

# The War And Pestilence

In Europe's bloody wars, for every ten men slain by the enemy, In the Thirty Years' War, estimated 8,000,000 Germans were wiped out by flea-borne bubonic plague and louse-borne typhus fever. On Napoleon's retreat from Moscow, typhus dysentery and Grand Army's 500,000 men. last year 15,000

deadly than germs. Battle-field quicksands, of quibbles and quarfrom disease, 3.000,000. Yet des- qualms and quilp. pite the great achievements of medical science, disease was still a ed Kvissling. potent wartime killer. In 1914. typhus swept through "Serbia, spread to Russia where in four years it killed 3,000,000 peasants.

Today British and French doctors expect no epidemics of typhus, typhoid or cholers. Although there is no effective remedy for any of these diseases, all can be prevented by sanitary precautions. British soldiers are given inoculations against smallpox, tetanus typhold. But a titanic task faces the doctors of Germany and Central Europe.

## British Withdrawal From Shanghai Denied

CHUNGKING, June 5 (Central) much in the same way as it was -Rumours current that the British and French garrisons will be "We may rest assured that withdrawn from Shanghai in the event of Italy's entry into the German losses in the battle of London and, concurrently, with European War were branded as Flanders are now very high. Ger- this effort, the leaders of the groundless by a spokesman of the to the enemy. British Embassy, according to a Shanghal report.

matter how the European situation | abandon her interests in Shanghai.

# King George's To French President

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)—His Majesty the King, in a telegram to M. Lebrun, President of France, said: "Our armies of the North, fighting side by side, have, with the help of the fearless, unflinching efforts of the Allied Navies and Air Forces. come through the ordeal that proved their courage, discipline and fighting power.

"The gallantry of this comradeship in arms has shown the enemy the measure of Allied bravery and resolution which will meet him in battles that are to

"With profound gratitude and admiration, all my people and I have followed the great part played in these historic events by the French armed forces and we sympathise in the losses France has sustained, but recognise in them the measure of French heroism and devotion."

# BLOOD?

#### ITALIAN PLAN FOR ENTRY INTO THE WAR

ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM BENITO .. MUSSOLINI. TTA-LIAN MILITARY EXPERTS HAVE PREPARED AN OPERA-TIONAL PLAN FOR USE IN THE EVENT OF ENTRY INTO THE WAR ON GERMANY'S SIDE

This news has set diplomats arguing whether the anti-Allied tirade in the Fascist Press is bluff, or foreshadows Italy's abandonment of nonbelligerence.

On balance, the view prevails that Musselini is not bluffing. Italy's 45,000,000 people, despite the Duce's martial eratory over the last 18 years, dread the thought of war against Britain and France, but are now being very carefully "educated" through -They have proclaimed their pre- official channels to expect the

#### URGENT SUMMONS They were gently told recently

that Herbert von Mackensen, Nazi Ambassador" in Rome, had been "trgently summoned" to Berlin by the Fuehrer.

German agents in Italy spread rumours, that on May 15 the Duce del Fascismo would give Hitler the word he has been waiting for.

They add that Alexander Skwartsef, Russia's Ambassador in Berlin, has secured Stalin's agreement to a parcelling out of "spheres of influence" in South eastern Europe:

To Germany would go Hungary, Rumania and Bulgaria, Italy would receive Yugoslavia and Greece, while Russia would get Turkey.

# **QUISLERS** "

"Major Quisling," said the Lon-Gon Times recently, "has added a new word to the English language. pestilence has killed its thousands. Aurally it contrives to suggest something at. once slippery and tortuous. Visually it has the supreme merit of beginning with a Q which (with one august exception) has long seemed to the British mind to be a crooked, uncertain pneumonia killed 450,000 of the and alightly disreputable letter. suggestive of the questionable, the World War I was the last war in querulous, the quavering of quakhistory in which guns were more ing quagmires and quivering deaths totalled 8,000,000 deaths rels, of queasiness, quackery,

\*The Major's name is pronounc-

#### RARISH FEAT "Major Quisling is to be con-

gratulated. He has performed the rarish feat of turning a proper name into a common one, and in so doing has made sure that in a future life he will find himself in a distinguished circle. In addition to Captain Boycott, Aloysius Hansom will be there, also those two redoubtable , Scots, "Charles M. Macintosh and John Loudon Me-Adam, and the first Lord Brougham and the fourth Earl of Sandwich and the great Duke of Wellington in his famous boots. ..." Although the Times could still

be whimsical about it. Major Vidkun Quisling's treachery in hamstringing Norse defenses the week before gave Europe a firstrate shock. "Quislings Everywhere;" headlined the London Times, while all over the Continent governments went hunting for those malcontents in their midst who might open the gates

The spokesman said that no may develop, Britain will not

# Colin Still

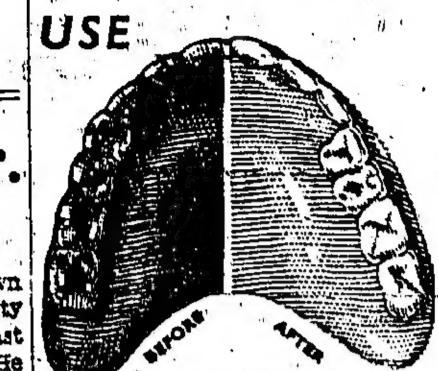
Mr. Colin Still, the well-known literary critic, died at University Cottage Hospital, London, last month at the age or nity-two. He had been ill for three months.

Mr. Still, who was born in Birmingham, was the son of the late Mr. A. W. Still, who was for many years the editor of the Straits

He was a critic of sound and sensitive judgment. He had a flair for discovering the first flickerings of genius in others, and these discoveries pleased him more than a pink once more. It is so easy to use "Steradent," literary success of his own, for he warm water, and stir well. Leave your false teeth was always a modest, unambitious man.

He revised and prepared for publication many of the most important memoirs and biographies of recent years.

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# Very Dark Blooze

"Kindly rest on your oars, Timothy. That contraption is getting you nowhere. And it squeaks. And the Eton Boating Song is not in the key of D.". "What's up, Peter? Got a

head ?" "Like a gasometer. Very pain-

ful: And that noise you're making goes through it like a pneumatic "Wasn't, I on the warpath by your side? And look at me - no

more hangover than an innocent little child." "Well, it's not natural. It just

proves that the Devil looks after his own."

" I look after myself, old son. Last night I took a sizeable swig of Rose's Lime Juice before hitting the hay. That's how to kill off the aftermath of alcohol." " "You wouldn't lead me up the

garden, Timothy?" " Peter, you wrong me. I've seen the light and I'm passing on the

"Then, if you will kindly step ashore, we will seek out a vendor of Rose's. It's time I fell into good habits."

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# Finance and Commerce

# China's Raw Silk Export Increases

China's efforts to revive the silk trade have shown encouraging results. Trade figures indicate that in 1939 China exported \$131,600,000 worth of raw silk .

Incredible though it may seem. this meant an increase of \$93,000 .-.000 over the 1938 figure\_of \$33.-600,000. These figures exclude silk waste, cocoon strippings and yarn waste.

During the first three months of 1940. China's export of raw silk obtained. was worth more than \$50,000,000; for March alone, the figure was nearly \$12,000,000. At this menthly rate. China should be able to export at least \$144,000,000 worth of raw silk this year.

#### EXCEED ESTIMATE

It is believed, however, that the figure will far exceed this afternoon, the market was idle. estimate in view of the attempts now being made to increase the production of yellow and white silk in Free China,

The United States provides the biggest market for silk, consuming some 75 per cent of the world's total production. About 80 per cent of the States' requirement comes from "Japan," from which it may be gauged what a terrific blow to Japan it would be if America silk substitute made of coal, should enforce an economic em- and air-is universally used, says bargo against her, or if Nylon—the Central News.

STOCK EXCHANGE

# LIMITATION OF DIVIDENDS BILL

LONDON, June 4 (Reuter)-In the House of Commons, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Kingsley Wood, announced he would not proceed with the limitation of dividends Bill mentioned in the budget. He said the decision to raise the excess profits tax to one hundred per cent. all round materially affected the limitation

of dividends proposals. The main object of the Bill was by limiting dividends to prevent increase in purchasing power in the hands of shareholders and this would now be substantially

# SILVER MARKET

LONDON SILVER

London, June 4 (Reuter). Silver.—Little speculative selling. Lack of support. Business very small." Market very quiet. In the Spot, 23d.

Forward, 22d. BOMBAY SILVER Bombay, June 4 (Reuter).

Market-Quiet. Offtake 300 bars. Indian Mint Silver Ready ......63-01 July 2 Settlement ...... 63-01 July 30 Settlement ..... 63-04

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# OVER 100 FIRMS BANKRUPT

JAPANESE COTTON YARN MARKET

SHANGHAI, June 5 (Reuter) -The sudden downward trend in the Japanese cotton yarn market following a brief rise towards the end of last month rendered over 100 firms, engaged in speculation in the "black market," bankrupt. reports the Shunpao.

Heavy stocktaking of the Japanese "Moon Lute" brand was recorded last month when prices rose from Chinese \$800 to \$1,800 but finally reacted to touch the \$1,200 level per bale to the ruin of many firms, the report adds.

# GREATEST MASS" MOVEMENT GOLD

NEW YORK, June 5 (Reuter)-One of the greatest mass movements of gold in history is now proceeding with the transport of reserves of Britain and France with those of the Netherlands and Belgium to the United States. Gold worth \$287,000,000 was delivered to the New York Federal Reserve Bank on Monday bringing the deliveries for two days to \$500,000,000.

#### GREAT PROSPECTS SHENSI SEEN

SIAN, June 5 (Central) - Great prospects for Shensi province are seen by Mr. Pan Kuo-chu leader of the first group of the South Seas Chinese Comfort Mission which left on June 3 for the front after a fortnight's stay here during which they visited the various reconstruction projects.

Shensi, Mr. Pan said in an interview prior to their departure, was the birthplace of the Chinese race and the seat of several kingdoms in the past.

Today it holds a strategic position in the war of resistance. With the various reconstruction projects now being rapidly carried out there will be a great future for the province.

A report from Lanchow states that the third group of the mission led by Mr. Chen Chao-chi left yesterday for Ninghsia en route to the Suiyuan front to visit the Chinese soldiers.

#### LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-On the Stock Exchange yesterday, giltedged securities and some industrials were occasionally better, but the general trend was easier on the absence of support. Wall Street was firm.

## LONDON METALS **EXCHANGE**

London, June 4 (Reuter). TIN

Standard, Cash Middle Price, £277-1/8. Tin. Standard, "3 months Middle Price, £274-7/8, "

> LONDON GOLD London, June 4 (Reuter).

Bar Gold, Fine per oz., 168.

# H.K. STOCK EXCHANGE

There is nothing of note to re-

SALES

H.K. Banks, \$1325. Dairy Farms, \$20.

# HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS'

ASSOCIATION Volume Of Business, Transacted

on Wednesday, June 5, 1940. H.K. Banks ..... 7\* \$1,335.00 China Lights (Old) 200 San Mauricios .....5,000 Ps. 1.51

\*Sale on Tuesday, the 4th inst. The total value is \$10,705.00 and Ps.2,550.00.

# FINANCE & GENERAL

Lord Lothian Says

# THE BRITISH

NEW YORK, June 5 (Reuter)-The British Ambassador, Lord-Lothian, in a speech here yesterday, said that what Hitler is now after is the British Fleet. If he can seize that, he steps from domination of Europe to

The tremendous decisions which would present themselves both to Britain and America if Hitler's attack on Britain were to begin to succeed would not present themselves next year or five years hence, but more likely this summer or autumn.

domination of the world.

"You may ask, do we want your help?" said Lord Lothian. "My answer is, of course we want your help. Any help in munitions you can give us without delay. But what you will do about this is for yourselves to decide.

"We in England believe that the very essence of a free civilisation is individual and national responsibility. We, therefore, accord to you the same freedom of decision that we claim for our-

Lothian, in a striking passage, declared. "The situation is grave more grave than I think most of us yet realise." Hitler had annexed the States of Austria. Czechoslovakia, Poland, Denmark. most of Norway, Holland and most of Belgium. Each one of these conquests meant that the resources at Hitler's disposal and strategic security of Germany had been increased and resources available resisting his aggression. diminished. Moreover, none these States, according to Hitler's plan, was going to be restored to independence at the end of the

# SATELLITE PROVINCES

war, if he won.

"Hitler is now bent on doing exactly the same thing, apparentin Europe or the world."

Lord Lothian concluded, "If the British Navy were to disappear and you alone were left, not only would the commonwealth be broken, but there would be no superior armed power to prevent Hitler

BE REDUCED

that as a precautionary measure

for immediate slaughter is being

England are being reduced.

#### "IRONSIDES" FOR HOME DEFENCE

LONDON, June 5 (Reuter)-The Ministry of Agriculture announces the numbers of livestock in certain limited "areas in south-east Stock offered in these areas fit ter.

purchased by the Food Ministry is being and a proportion of store animals countries.



LORD LOTHIAN

and his allies from thundering on you if they wanted to do so.

HITLER KNOWS

"Time in war is everything and nobody knows that better than Hitler. He means to get control of the British and French Fleets and naval bases that are essential to world power this year, if

Lord Lothian added he did offer any advice in regard to what the Americans should do about this grave problem any more than it was for them to offer the Briadded "Our business is to do everything we possibly can into satellite provinces and dis- those of our Allies, from being have been given to our people, armed with their economic ontrol conquered. I believe we shall sucfrom Berlin and their culture in ceed for our fighting spirit is now thoroughly aroused."

NEXT OBJECTIVE NEW YORK, June 4 (Reuter)ly with the assistance of Italy, to If England and France are con-France and England. If he wins, quered, the Americas will inevitthey also are to be disarmed and ably be the next objective, derendered incapable of exercising clared Mr. Henry Wallace the any further independent influence Secretary of Agriculture, in broadcast.

Mr. Wallace urged economic as well as military preparedness and declared that the country must rapidly utilise idle men, money and factories in the production of guns, ammunition, planes tanks.

ganising for the home defence their strength. small bodies of highly mobile and

# THE BRANDY OF NAPOLEON Fournisseur breveté de 2.716. L'Empereurs COGNACS ET FINES CHAMPAGNES

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# CHURCHILL

Continued From Page 4

aliens and suspicious characters of other nationalities, but also against British subjects (cheers) who may become a danger or nulsance should the war be transported to the United Kingdom.

"Turning once again, and this tish any advice in regard to what time more generally to the questhey should do with their Navy tion of invasion. I would observe if, and when, the crisis came. He that there has never been a period in all these long centuries of to which we boast when an absolute keep France and Britain fighting guarantee against invasion, still They were going to be turned and our lands and islands, and less against serious air raids, could

> "I feel confident that if all do their duty and nothing is neglected and the best arrangements are made as they are being made, we shall prove ourselves once again able to defend our island home and ride out the storm of war and outlive the menace of tyranny if necessary for years, if necessary alone (Cheers).

'That is what we are going to try to do and that is the resolve of His Majesty's Government, every man of them, that is the will of Parliament and the nation.

#### GOOD COMRADES

"The British Empire and the bably be convenient." French Republic are linked together in their cause and in their need will defend to the death their

"We shall never surrender and Lord Caldecote also recorded from the regular army, says Reu- starving, then our Empire beyond Earl of Erne. the British Fleet, will carry on the: Lord Strabolgi paid tribute to

#### NO BARTER

WASHINGTON, June 5 (Reuter) Mr. Cordell Hull Secretary of State, said yesterday that the United States Government must necessarily insist that the possessions of the European nations in the Western hemisphere shall not become the subject of barter or conquest between rival European

He said that they must not be made the scene of the settlement of the European difficulties.

He added that he would be glad to recommend a solution for consideration by Congress.

liberation and rescue of the old (Loud Cheers).

#### SECRET SESSION

Mr. H. B. Lees-Smith said he was glad the Prime Minister had told the nation in the plainest terms the effort it would be called upon to make.

Mr. H. J. Bellenger (Labour) asked Mr. : Churchill for an assurance that an early opportunity for debate in a secret session would be given.

The Prime Minister replied: "I understand next Tuesday will pro-

## TRIBUTE TO FRENCH

In the House of Lords, Viscount The War Office announces that native soil, aiding each other like Caldecote, Leader of the House Gen. Sir Edmund Ironside is or- good comrades, to the utmost of made a statement similar to Mr.

strongly armed troops who will be ever if—which I do not for a mo- with regret the death in action of called "Ironsides." There will ment believe—this island or a two members of the House—the be many hundreds of these formed large part of it was subjected and Duke of Northumberland and the

> struggle until in God's good time, the gallantry of the French divinew world, with all its power sions who made possible the withand might, steps forth to the drawal of the British forces.

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# FOREIGN MARKETS AND QUOTATIONS

COMMODITY BROKERS STOCK EXCHANGE BUILDING HONGKONG

# COMMODITY MARKET

York, June 4, 1940.

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fr. recome .			~ ~ · · · ·

SINGAPORE RUBBER	Closing	Opening	Closing	Change	'
	Buyers	Buyers		95 0	
SPOT.	37-3/4	37-1/2	37-7/8	" up 1/8	1.
JULY-SEPT.	'36-3/4	36-1/2	36-5/8	off 1/8	'
OCTDEC.	11	35-1/4	35-3/8	off 1/8	·
The market was quiet but st	eady,				1
LONDON RUBBER " F	revious clo	se Today	s close		
	buyers	buy		Change	1
SPOT	12-1/16	12-3	16	up 1/8	ł
JULY	12	12-1	8	up 1/8	
JULY	11-15/16	12	, 91	up 1/16	1
OCTDEC.	11-7/16	11-1	2	up 1/16	
JAN-MARCH		11-1,	4	up 1/16	1
The market was very stead	41	μ,	ii .	al. no	
ACCOUNT OF COMMONS AS	lankuna ma	a the and	tables fo		

NEW YORK COTTON: A feature was the switching from near to distant positions. The Trade bought near the close, with the South selling.

NEW YORK RUBBER: -Scattered liquidation was well absorbed Bar Silver per oz. .......... 23 by the Trade. CHICAGO WHEAT: An average of private estimates shows a Market Report

Winter crop of 489,000,000 bushels and a Spring crop of 234,000,000 bushels. This is higher than expected. Exports continue to be poor. NEW YORK STOCKS: Previous close, 114,73; Today's close,

115.79; Change, up 1.06.

#### MARKET YORK COMMODITY

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

10		4	•	1 ''
	. 0	High "Low	Close Close	_
	•	20.05	Prev. Today's	
New York Cotton, Jul			9.29 9.30	
New York Rubber, Jul		V 19	21.10 21.16	_
Chicago Wheat, Sept.			821 811	) of
Chicago Corn, Sept,				
New York Hides. June		u — —	9.33 9.57n	24 . up
NEW YORK COTTON		"Opening		Change
July		9.27/27	9.30/30	.01 up
July (New contract)	. 9.50/50	9.47/47	9.52 N	.02 up
October ( ,, )	8.58/59	8.57/57	8.56/56	.02 off
December (( e)	8.50/50	" 8.48/49 ·	8.47/47	03 ·· of
January (	. 8.44 N	8.41b/44a	8.40 N	.04 off
January ( , ) March ( , )	8.32/32	8:29/30	8.30/30	.02 of
May . ( ., .)			8.15/15	.02 of
Spot		en en	10.13	.01 up
Total sales Monda		oales.		
NEW YORK RUBBER			- · ·	
July	21,10/10	- 21.20/16	.21.16/16	.06 up
September,	19,235/26	a. 19.20/15	19.42/43	.19 up
December	. 18.68/68	18.68/68	18.94/94	.26. up
January		unquoted	18.80 N	.25 tp
Total sales:-850 t		1	0 ,9	
CHICAGO WHEAT				
July,	821/82	821/82	811/811	4 of
September		821/821	811/817	· i off
December		83/821	821/821	i off
Monday's sales:-	*	ishels.	2. 2. 3.	
CHICAGO CORN	4		• 1	
July	621/621	623/621	621/621	off
September		611/611	611/811	i" of
December		60/60	591/591	unch
WINNIPEG WHEAT		14	al.	,41
July	75±a	741A	751/751	វ ០៣
October		9	774/773	0ពី
NEW YORK HIDES	100			
June	9.33/40	9.30ъ	9.57 N	.24 up
"September		9.70/58	9.73/75	.15 up
December		9.76b/90a	10.00b	.20 up
New York Official		11	34-3/4 "	
NY-London Cross Rat		7	3.19-3/4	0
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#### LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTER'S SERVICE) London, June 4. | Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924

The following quotations are the Chartered Bank ......

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middle prices at the close of the	H.K. & Shai Bank (Ldn.	
market in London. All quotations	Reg.	80
are subject to confirmation and no	H.K. & Shai Bank (Col.	
responsibility is assumed for errors	-Reg)R	82
in transmission.	Chinese Eng. & Mining	
<b>£</b>	(Bearer)	
War Loan, 31% (Red	Chosen Corporation	6/6
after 1952) 991	Pekin Syndicate	2
Canton-K'loon Rly, 5% 8	S'hai Elec. Constr. Co	15
Chinese 41% Gold Loan	S'hai Waterwerks "A"	15
1898 (Brit. Issue) 43	Union Insurance	28
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds.	Gula Kalumpong Rubber	16/3
1925-47	Allied Ironfounders	11/9
	Asso, & Elec. Industries	35/9
Loan, 1908 44	Austin Motors, ord	10/71
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan.	Cable & Wireless, New	ta En
1912 17	Form, ord.	41
Chinese 5% Reorg, Loan,	BA. Tob. (bearer)	81/3
1913 (Ldn. Is.) 24	Mercantile Bank	124
Chinese 8% Ster. Notes.	Cammell Laird, ord	5
1928 (Vickers) 8	Mexican Eagle	3/11
Chin. Imperial Rly, 5%	Courtaulds	28
Loan 56	Distillers	53
Honan Rly. 5% 12	Dunlop Rubber	29/41
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 14	Gen. Electric (England)	
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911.	Guinness (A) Son & Co.	60
German Issue) 11	Hawker Siddeley, Airc	9 .
Lung Tsing" & U. Hai	Bristol Aeroplane	9/9
Rly. 5% 1913 11	Imperial Chemical Ind.	26
8'hai-N'King Riy. 5% 15	Imperial Tobacco	86/3
Tientsin-Pukow Rly, 5%	Marks & Sp'cer "A" ord.	34/3
(Brit. Stpd.) 9	Rolls Royce	71/3
Tlenfsin-Pukow Rly. 5%	Leyland Motors	50
. (German Stpd.) 9	Tate & Lyle	49/6
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5%	Turner & Newall	56/101
(Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan) 9	United Steel	18/74
21- 51	Maria Maria de Maria de Maria	40.40

Smethwick Drop Forg. ... 12/8

Pressed Steel, com. ..... 12/9

Armstrong Stevens, ord.

Vickers, ord. .....

Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5%

(Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)

Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907 36

Jap. 5% Ster. Loan. 1924 41

# MONEY AND **EXCHANGE**

CLOSING QUOTATIONS' JUNE 5, 1940.

		The state of the s
	)n	London:
		Telegraphic Transfer. 1/2 7/8
į		Bank Bills, on demand 1/9 7/8
		Credits 4 months sight 1/3 3/1
	On	Shanghai:-
		On' demand 370
	On	Singapore:
,		On demand 52 3/4
	On	Japan:-
		On demand 82 1/8
	On	India:
l		Telegraphic Transfer. 82"1/2"
4		and demand
1	On	New York:-
3	-	Bank Bills, on demand 19 5/8
,		Credits, 60 days' sight 20 5/8
	00	Batavia:
	OH	On demand 38 5/8
	000	Paris:—
	OH,	Bank Bills, on demand 1090
	1 .	Credits 4 months sight 1150
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•		Saigon:— On demand 108 3/4
5		"On demand 108 3/4 Manila:—
,	QD.	On demand 39 1/4
	-	
	On	Bangkok:—, On demand 149 1/2
		On demand
	Ou	Sterling Notes:
,	Í	Bank Buying Rate 1/4

FROM ROZA, BROS.

Wednesday, June 5. Silver prices dropped yesterday to the extent of 1/2 for Ready and 3/8 for Forward, the quotations being 23 and 22 respectively. Silver advices reported apeculators as having sold to a small extent. Support was poor. The market was quiet and idle. American Silver was quoted at 34.3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 402,1/2. New York-London was quoted at 391.3/4.

MARKET Steady but quiet

STERLING There were sellers at 1/2.31/32 June/August probably September. buyers at 1/3 for any delivery.

U. S. DOLLARS

Business was done during the course of the morning at 20 for Cash and 19.15/16 for July. The market closed with sellers at p for Cash, 19.15/16 June and 19.7/8 p July, buyers at 20.1/16 for Cash and 20 July.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Opened with sellers at 382 and closed at 376.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Sterling opened with sellers at 3.27/32 and closed steady with sellers at 3.61/64. U.S. Dollars opened with sellers at 5.3/32 and closed at 5.9/32

Shanghai, June 5 (Reuter)

Shanghai Exchange

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, 41		Opening	h
London		0/3-1/2	1
New York	**********	4-5/8	
Japan		19-1/2	
India			
Paris		2.57	i
Hongkong .	·	23-1/4	
	Sterling	. 4. 0	,
	Se	llers	

T	"Opening	Closing
Spot .	0/3-13/1	
June	0/3-25/3	
July	0/3-5/8	0/3-13/16
	U.S. Dolls	irs
Spot	\$5-1/16	\$5-9/32
Times		E-1/4 2

July ..... 4-25/32 5-1/32 Market:—Steady.

Silver Duty Rate

The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. today was 1/2-1/2d. The Equalisation rate was 21-3/4 per cent.

India Rupee Paper

Bombay, June 4 (Reuter) Govt. 31% Rupee, 89-02-0.

Calcutta Exchange Calcutta, June 4 (Reuter). T.T. on Japan, 99-5/8.

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Woolworths	48	17.3
Anglo-Dutch	18	"11
Rub, Plant, Invest, Trust	24/3	. ,
Burma Corporation	.7/3	
Commonwealth Mining	-	
Marsman Investments	10	
Randfontein Estates	33/14	
Western Holdings		- 1
Sub-Nigel		
Tanami Gold Mining	3d.	
Anglo-Tranian	-38/11	•
Burman		
Shell Trans & Trad.		
(bearer)	-58/14	1
•-Nominal		,

QUOTATION

(REU)	TER'S	BERVICE)	
STOCKS" Last	Sale	JUNE 5, 1940. STOCKS Last Sale June 4	HONGKONG & SHANGI BANKING CORPORATIO
Adams Express 4		Kennecott" Copper 27	Anthonias Official escope
Alleghany Steel Co 1	94	Lakey Foundry & Mac 3	Authorised Capital \$50,000 Issued & Fully Paid-Up \$20,000
Allied Stores 5	+ .	Libbey-Owens-Ford Class 33	Reserve Funds:
	41	Lockheed Aircraft 291	Sterling £ 6,500
	4 <u>1</u>	Loew's Inc. 221	H.K. Currency Reserve \$10,000
the state of the s	03	Loft Incorperated 174  Mack Truck Inc 194	Reserve Liability of Proprietors\$20,000
Amer. & Foreign Power 1		Martin, Glen L 33	
	4	McKesson & Robbins, pfd. 181	Head Office:-HONG KONG
	6	Monsanto Chemical 881	Daniel Description
	17	Montgomery Ward 341	Board of Directors: H. V. Wilkinson, Esq.,
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	01	Nat. Dairy Products 121 Nat. Distillers 181	Hon, Mr. J. J. Paterson,
	6	National Gypsum 51	Deputy Chairm
	3-1	National Lead 151	J. K. Bousfield, Esq.,
Amer. Tel. & Tel I	501	Nat, Power & Light 6	A. H. Compton, Esq., Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell,
Amer, Tobacco "B" 7	13	National Steel Corp 533*	G. Miskin, Esq.,
	3½ ·	National Supply Corp 51	K. S. Morrison, Esq.,
	20 <del>1</del> 141	New York Central 10 Niagara Hudson Power 31*	T. E. Pearce, Esq., C. C. Roberts, Esq.,
		N. American Aviation 171	Hon. Mr. A. L. Shields,
	22}*	North American Co 161	Sir Vandeleur M. Graybur
	37	Northern Pacific 51	Chief Man
	31 .	Owens-Illinois Glass Co 461	
	*	Pacific Gas & Riec 261	Branches:
7	8	Pacific Lighting 37	Amoy Johore Rangoon
	271	Pan-American Airways 131	Bangkok Kobe Saigon Batavia Kowloon San
	70	Paramount Pictures 42	Bombay Kuala Franc
	151	Pennsylvariia R.R. 17	Calcutta Lumpur Shangh
Boeing Airplane Co	15	Phelps-Dodge 273	Canton London Singapo Chefoo Lyons Souraba
Borg-Warner		Philadelphia Read, Coal 1 1*	Colombo Malacca Sungei
	9 "	Phillips Petroleum 281	Dairen Manila Patan
	15 19‡	Pittsburg Coke & Iron 53*	Foochow Muar Swatow Haiphong (Johore) Tientain
	90*	Public Service of N.J 331 Pullman Inc	Bankow Mukden Tokyo
	34	Pure Oil	Harbin New York Tsingta
Canadian Paoine R'way"	21	Radio Corpn. of Am 41	Iloilo Peiping Yokobar
	14	Reading Company, Com 101	Ipoh Penang
Celanese	231	Remington Arms Co., Inc. 48*	CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened
v. 10	571	Republic Aviation Corp 43 Republic Steel	LOCAL CURRENCY and FIXED DEPO
	281	Revere Cop. & Brass Inc 9	periods in Local and other
	70*	Reynold Tobac. "B" 324	rencies on terms which will
	701	Richfield Oil 6½	quoted on application.  Also up to date SAFE DE
	70]** 29 <b>]</b>	Safeway Stores	Boxes in various sizes To Let.
Com, & Southern (Ord.)	4 100	Sears Roebuck 641	Hong Kong, 28th February, 1
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Continental Can		Southern Pacific 71	BANK
Copperweld Steel		Southern Rly \$5 pfd 151	
Corn Products'		Sperry 381 Spicer Manufacturing Co. 25	The Business of the above I
Curtiss Wright (C.)	_	Standard Brands	is conducted by the HONGK
Curtiss, Wright "A" 2	244	Stand Gas & Elec 11	PORATION. Rules may be ob
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Du Pont de Nemours		Studebaker Com 6	BANKING CORPORATION. V. M. GRAYBUR
Eagle Picher Lead 8		Swift International 171	Chief Man
Eaton Mig. Co		Technicolor 93	Hong Kong, 25th Feb., 1939.
	274	Texas Corpn	
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40	50 <u>1</u> 59	Timken-Axie 227	BANK OF EAST ASIA
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41	10*	20th Cent. Fox. \$11 pf 141*	Authorised Capital \$10,000,0
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- 1	181 .	U.S. Rubber 28 pfd 75*	P. K. Kwok, Esq. Wong Chu Son, Wong Yun Tong, Esq. Kan Ying Po, R Chan Ching Shek, Esq. Fung Ping Wah
	207	U.S. Rubber \$8 pfd 75* U.S. Steel 463	KAN TONG Po, Esq., Chief Man
Greyhound Corpn	101	Vanadium 30	Li Tse Fong, Esq., Manager
Hercules Powder Co	30	Vultee Aircraft	Bannakan and Associate
Daymor district	10 <u>1</u> 381	Walworth Co 31	Branches and Agencies: Amor Korloon Penang Singar
	10.5	Warner Bros. Pict 21 Westinghouse Elec 85	Betavia Loudes Rangoon Sourse
212	12	Westinghouse Elec 85	Bombay Manila Saigou Swator Calentta Melbourne San Fran- Sydney

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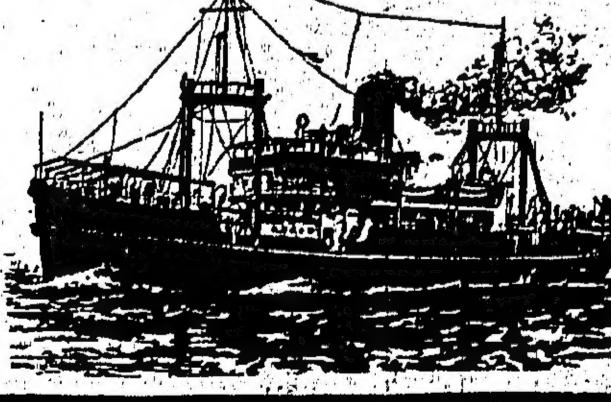
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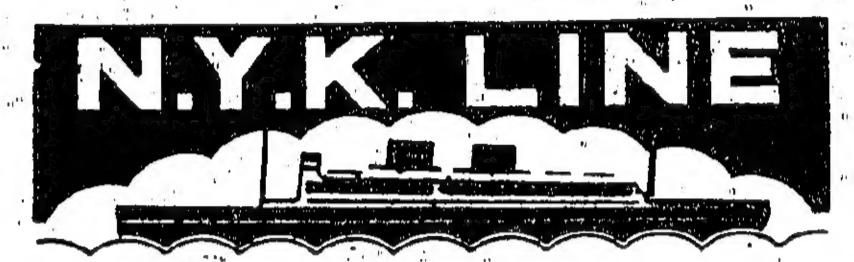


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# Airport News

CLIPPER FLIES BACK ...

PAN AMERICAN AIRWAYS CALIFORNIA CLIPPER (CAPT. H. HAMILTON) left Kai , Tak on her return flight to San Francisco via Manila yesterday morning. She took away.

MR. LUCIAN L. ROCKE, executive of the Standard Oil Co., who is making a short pleasure trip across the Pacific accompanied by his wife. From San Francisco Mr. and Mrs. Rocke will travel by United Airlines to New York;

MR. JAY W, MYERS, merchant engineer of the Studebaker Corporation, proceeding to Honolulu, en route to Los Angeles on home

MRS. ROSE PEARNE, wife of Mr. John R. A. Pearne, manager of the Purity Drinking Water Co., who is making a vacation trip to Manila, accompanied by her in-

fant 'daughter, Odette Pearne; MR. M. S. HWANG, sales representative of the C.N.A.C., Hongkong, who is proceeding to Manila;

on a "routine business visit; MESSRS. FUNG KAM-FO and the north: HUA CHAY-KUN, Chinese merchants of Manila, returning after a business trip to Hongkong: MR. CIRILO" LIM, Manila At-

after spending a delightful vacation in the Colony: MR. FERMIN DEL ROSARIO Filipino share broker, flying to

torney at Law, returning home

Manila on a short holiday; MR. SAM. S. SCHIER, President of s.s. Schier &, Co., advertising experts of Manila, returning with his wife after spending their honeymoon in Hongkong;

MR. THOMAS S. WALSH. American priest making a pleasure trip to Manila. PHILIPPINE CLIPPER

Pan American Airways Philippine Clipper is due to arrive in morning. IMPERIAL AIRWAYS

Imperial Airways outward bound plane, Denebola (Capt. M. Brun- is now 41.09 inches, or 16.02 inches ton and F/O J. Harvey) left Kai above average. Tak with the Hongkong mails yesterday morning. " ....

She took away three passengers minimum 75 degrees. Mean humiall bound for Calcutta-Mr. P. K. Pavri, Mr. N. C. Sanyal and Mr. A. H. Ahmed.

DELPHINUS TODAY Imperial Airways inward plane, Delphinus, with London mails dated May 29, is scheduled to arrive in Hongkong this afternoon. The next outward service of Imperial Airways will leave Kai Tak

on Sunday morning.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE. From 6 to 12 June 1940.

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# Passengers

The following is the full list of passengers who disembarked in the Colony from an Italian liner: Mrs. R. B. Lockwood, Mr. R. At- Temperature, 79 F. thowe. Mr. A. C. Rogers, Mr. T. Humidity, 85 per cent. Haselton, Mr. Chen Hua, Mrs. Wind Direction, Calm. Annie S. Ylu Chang.

Sein Ong Kym. Mr. Phan Tek Hin. Mrs. A. Prieto, Mrs. Gladys L.

Mr. Carlos G. Pomar, Mr. Shu Chin Ming, Mr. Ho Tso Lim, Mr. and Against an average of, 25.07 ins. Mrs. Soo Ching Hoe and son, Mrs. Sunset tonight, 7.05 p.m. Ng Lim See Kom, Miss Haung Yu Sunrise tomorrow, 5.38 a.m.

Mr. Mg Lee Laing, Mr. Naka- Barometer (at sea level), 29.74 ins mura, Mr. Yang Yu. Mr. William Temperature, 80 F. Yin Kel, four steerage and 29 deck Humidity, 87 per cent, Chinese passengers from southern

Only four passengers left Hong- Maximum temperature, 83 F. kong yesterday for points North Minimum temperature, 75 F. on a British ship:-

Mr. L. Zing, Mr. C. F. A. Wylhreham, Mr. F. Isako, Mrs. E. Bruce. FOR THE NORTH

The following left Hongkong for

Mr. F. G. Ede, Mr. Domou Guan Miss N. Boisen, Miss L. Boisen, Mr. H. V. Creer, Mr. G. R. Hopkins. Mr. A. M. Komorsky, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lin, Mrs. A. J. Silva-Netto. Mrs. E. J. Kavier, Mrs. S. R. Kerr. Mrs. J. V. Everett, Mrs. N. Gordeef, Miss D. Ekstrand, Mr. J. Hocking, Mr. E. Musk, Mr. W. Rankin, Mr E. Oatley, Mr. C. Williamson, Mr. A. Bain, Mr. W. Mickiewicz, Mr. N. M. Schroeders, Mr. J. C. Fenton. Mr. L. S. Wang, Mr. A. J. Hodges, Mr. A. Pontin, Mrs. K. S. Lee, Miss Yung Ly.

# UP ABOVE AVERAGE

The Royal Observatory recorded Hongkong from Manila on June 11 2.71 inches of rain between Tuesand will return the following day night and yesterday morning. No rain was recorded between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. yesterday.

> The total rainfall for the year The maximum, temperature yesterday was 83 degrees, and the

dity was 86. Occasional rain is the forecast Hong Kong, 1940. for today.

# WEATHER REPORT

Hongkong Royal Observatory 10 a.m., June 5. Miss Mary S. Chalmers, Mr. and Barometer (at sea level), 29.82 ins.

Wind Force (Beaufort), nil Miss Leung Cheuk Yong, Mr. Cemperature; maximum yesterday.

Miss Wong Show May, Mr. and remperature; minimum last night.

Donk, Mr. L. F. Ponciano, Mr. Go Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th today, 2.71 ins. Mrs. Li Kim Kiat, Mr. Li Yao. Total rainfall since January 1st

4 p.m., Jume 6.

Wind Direction, WNW. Wind Force (Beaufort), 2. Rainfall, nil.

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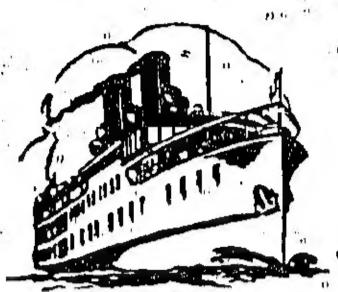
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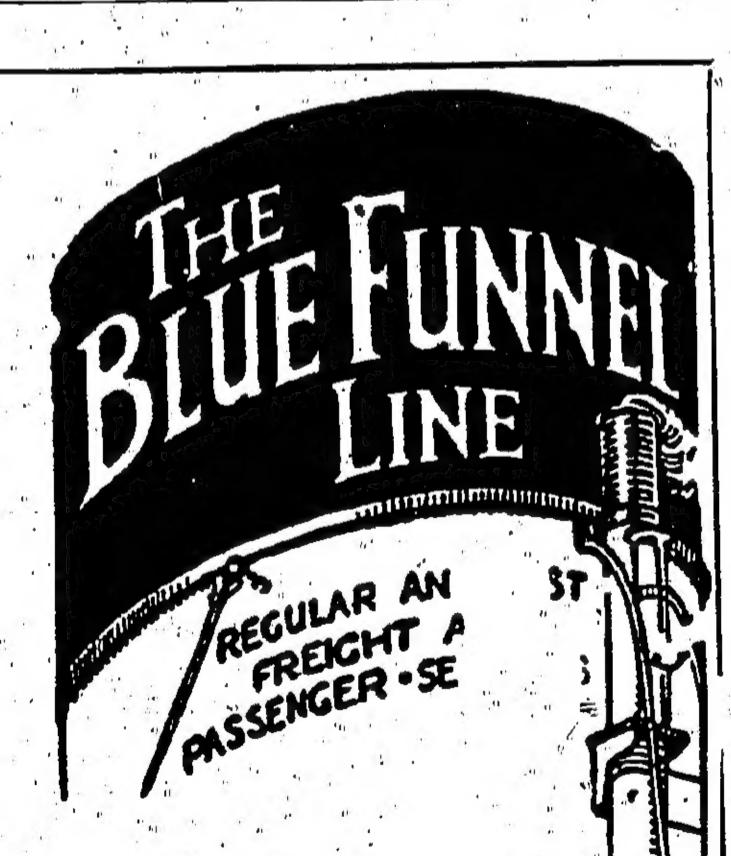
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#### KILLED PERSONS LANDSLIDE

# Public Dispensary Building At West Point Collapses

At least two persons, an 18-year-old Chinese girl and a young boy, were killed as the result of landslides yesterday caused by the heavy rain.

An entire family of four, living in a hut at Shek-kip-mei Village, Shamshuipo, were buried by earth which came down from the hillside about 7 a.m. yesterday.

They have no idea what

French officers and pollus

brought to England this morning.

were at the outskirts of the town

fighting as the Allied infantry and

they were heavily shelled as they

They reported that the Germans

happened to their parents.

also among those who

and that there had been

artillery covered the retreat.

A French officer reported

dropping into the sea ahead

The range was then shortened

and the shells fell behind them.

They were then caught between

two fires. Nearly all the party,

Parts of Dunkirk are still blaz-

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ing and the town is nothing but

during the night of June 3-4.

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them just off the quay.

however, got away safely.

Rescuers extricated a 52-yearold Chinese and his wife and their. 11-year-old sort but the daughter, aged 18 was suffocated to death.

Her name was Yim Wan-tal, Other landslides have been roported in various parts of the Colony, Customs Pass Road is blocked, and no traffic is allowed to pass beyond Port Shelter Road. which is about two or three miles from Clear Water Bay.

MAGAZINE GAP ...

A large quantity of earth on the hillside along Magazine Gap Road Several French children became loosened yesterday and among those who landed in Briblocked the road for some time, tain yesterday from Dunkirk. The debris was cleared and the For the past two weeks, these road was re-opened to traffic yes- children have been terday evening. Another landslide cellars and have only ventured occurred in Harlech Road about out into the wrecked streets for the same time

COLLAPSED The public dispensary in Third Street collapsed yesterday morning.

but there were no casualties. Part of a wall in a Chinese house in Staunton Street also collapsed yesterday morning. Bricks struck a fire alarm and sent the signal ringing at the Fire Brigade Station. The appliance sent found no fire, but the men set about

clearing the road.

# Adrift In The

Sixty French soldiers arrived in England today after being in the North Sea for 24 hours.

They left Dunkirk beaches in a motor boat which ran out of petrol and water. Although they knew shambles he reported. nothing about navigation they took to the boat rather than remain in Flanders to be made prisoners of

which has been rescuing troops from Dunkirk and, although the lifeboat was also without provision and water, it took the metorboat in tow and landed the French soldiers at a British port.

# Too Many Japan

campaign for dissolution existing political parties in favour of formation of a powerful single national party received further impetus yesterday wnen 16 Diet members belonging to the Unionist. a neutral faction of the Selyukai Party, unanimously adopted a re-

solution favouring the movement. Count Arima and others close to Prince Konoye, President of the Privy Council, reported to nim yesterday. It is generally believed that Prince Konoye will head the

new National Farty. Mr. Chuji Machida, President of the Minselto Party, is expected to call on Prince Konoye soon to seek his views regarding the movement

## BRITISH ENVOY'S HOLIDAY

CHUNGKING, June 5 (Reuter)-Despite press reports that the British and American Ambassadors are leaving Chunging within the week to spend the summer at Peltaiho, it is learned that no definite date has been fixed for the departure of the British Envoy.

He had planned to leave Chungking today but his plans were changed. It is understood that he may leave soon.

WILL CALL HERE

The British Ampassador to Sulhsien and are driving towards day morning. China, Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, is the city. shortly leaving Chungking for Hongkong on his way North for Tsaoyang; the Japanese started his summer vacation, according to information, from the Chinese capital. Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, the United States Ambassador is turning to the suburban fields to also shortly proceeding to Peltaino scythe the ripe wheat. on vacation.

Mr. Chow Han, judge of the second branch of the Klangsu High Court in Shanghai, has been appointed presiding judge of the increasing pressure upon them. Criminal Section of the Court to succeed Mr. Yu Hwa. who was murdered last November.

# Aquatics At The "Y"

#### AUSTRALIANS IN ACTION The Australian Naval Reservists

were last night seen in a number of swimming events at the European Y.M.C.A. Although there were no out-

standing performances, all the events were keenly contested, particularly in the 200 yards relay (free style) which was won by the "Y" after a close race.

The evening's programme concluded with a water pole match HID-IN-CELLARS between the Australians and the "Y" resulting in the latter winning by 6-0 after leading by-3-0 tn the first half.

THE RESULTS French Children 50 Yards Free Style:-1. G. T. May; ("Y") 2. F. A. Weller ("Y");

Arrive From 3. A. B. Dixon Time: 26 seconds: 25 Yards Back f ske:-1, B. S. Dunkirk Wilson ("\Z""); 2. ... Willis ("\Y") 3. A. B. Crowle Time: 15 seconds: LONDON, June 5 (Reuter) 75 Yards Medley Relay (Back. Breast and Free Style) :-- 1. Y.M. C.A. 2. Australians. Time: 45 secs; Diving:-1. R. Goldman ("Y")

> Mid. McFarlane 4+ pts. 200 Yards relay (Free Style):-1. Y.M.C.A. 2. Australians, Time:

51 points; 2. A. B. Nicholson 48 Pts;

min. 46 seconds.

TODAY'S GAME The following will represent the R.A.S.C. in a water-polo" match egainst the European Y.M.C.A. "B" at 6.30 p.m; this evening at "Y" pool-Reid: Thomas and Fare: Andrews: Theaker, Richards

# Games

Displaying all round superiority, two strong European Y.M.C.A. Water-Polo teams convincingly defeated two Army teams-Royal Army Medical Corps and Royal Engineers, at the former's pool last

In the first encounter the "Y" B won easily by 7-0 against the R.A.M.C., while in the senior game the Engineers were trounced by "4

QUICK GOALS

Both matches were uninteresting "A War Office communique states in that the "Y" were much superthat the evacuation of the Allied lor in all phases of the game. forces from the Dunkirk area has In the junior match the "Y" ran now been successfully completed. rict to score five goals in the first the last troops being withdrawn half whilst in the second half they practically did what they liked. Outstanding in the "Y" team were operation, which must rank as one May, Hunt and Corneck. of the most difficult operations of

SENIOR GAME The senior game was as much a one-sided affair as the junior Although the Engineers put up a better fight they could not stave off defeat.

of duty of the Allied navies, and After being led 3-0 in the first half the Engineers improved in the second haif to "allow only one As a result, although our "losses more goal to be added against have been considerable they are

mall in comparison to those which Goldman, for the "Y" was proa few days ago seemed inevitable. minent with two excellent goals South of the Somme, our troops whilst May and Chater also play. are now operating in conjunction ed well

"B": Berry; Willis and Benn; May; Moss; Hunt and Cor-

neck. BERLIN, June 5 (Reuter)-The MEDICALS: Ross: Anderson and German High Command claims Howe: Lyall, Milne, Nicholls and

the capture of 40,000 prisoners and McDonald booty, after fierce fighting off "Y" "A": Eardley; Chater and Benn; May; Hunt, Goldman and It also says that the whole Bel-

gian-French Channel coast, up to

ENGINEERS: Wilkinson; Rennithe Somme, is now occupied by son and Saxby; Rivett; Wilcox. Bowling and Waught.

# CHINESE PUSH

FANCHENG, June 5 (Central)-The Chinese, who recaptured Tsaoyang, in north" Hupeh, are pushing in south and east directions in pursuit of the Japanese.

A Chinese unit overtook a part of the fleeing Japanese at Heinglungtsi yesterday and inflicted heavy casualties upon them.

ward by the Slangyang-Hwahsien twenty Japanese and puppet offihighway were encircled by the cers and men were taken prisoner Chinese at Tanghsienchen, midway and four Japanese anti-tank zuns, between Tsaoyang and Suihsien two french mortars, a machinebreak through the Chinese ring | ed. without success. Other Chinese In the Tsungia sector the Chin-

Prior to their withdrawal from many fires in the town which were however brought under control by the Chinese, Farmers are now re-

News of the Chinese recapture of Tsaoyang came as a blow to the Japanese who crossed the Han River between Signgyang and Icheng. The Chinese are exerting

RECAPTURE MUKCHOW Chinese troops recaptured Mukchow. Sunwui. last Monday.

The Japanese retreating east- | Japanese adviser and more than They made repeated attempts to gun and many rifles were captur-

units have reached the south of ese recaptured Kilungkong Tues-

About 1,000 Japanese launching a northward drive from Chacan (Chaochow) in southeast Kwangtung have been repulsed.

## ITALIAN PRIEST ARRESTED

LONDON. June 5 (Reuter)-An Associated Press report from Rome. states that a priest has been arrested for preaching an anti-nationalist sermon and that the Catholic Weekly has been suppressed for reporting the deaths of Italians who are fighting for the A French Army.

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